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Injured in the Amelunke car were the driver and his wife, Virginia Amelunke, 44, and son, David Amelunke, five, all of Jackson. All received head injuries. They were taken to Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Barbara Wendel, 34, Jackson, passenger in the Wendel car, was treated by a Jackson physician for a head injury.

Wednesday at 10:45 a.m. on a blacktop road, one mile east of Charleston, Troy Crain, 58, route two, Charleston, escaped injury, when his 1955 Chevrolet, ran off the road while making a left turn, and struck a telephone pole.

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PREPARING FOR THE WINDY month, the Daily Standard's March calendar girl, Roseann Deschamp, 17, chooses a kite. Miss Deschamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Deschamp, 815 Vernon, plans to attend Southeast Missouri State College in Cape Girardeau where she plans to major in history and social science. The five foot, six inch senior weighs 118 pounds and has brown hair and blue eyes. She is a 1967 Miss Sikeston finalist.

Shoplifting Charges Filed On Two Women

Two women were arrested by Sikeston police at 2:45 p.m. Wednesday and charged with shoplifting. They are identified as Emma Ree Coleman, 227 Young St., and Jennie Harris, 223 Young St.

Police charged the women with taking items of clothing valued at about $16 from Sterling Stores Co. Inc. on North New Madrid street, and F. W. Woolworth Co., 114 East Front.

In other activity, William Lee Schuerenberg, 809 West Malone, was charged at 5:35 p.m. Wednesday with disturbing the peace on East Malone.

Air Base Reports Bomber Missing

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Carswell Air Force Base reported one of its B52F bombers missing and presumably down today. Eight men were aboard. It carried no bombs, an Air Force spokesman said.

A spokesman at Carswell where the plane was based said it would have exhausted its fuel at 6:30 a.m. today.

Carswell spokesmen said the plane should have returned to the base here at 3:30 a.m.

Governors Called to Join Law Enforcement Crusade

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson called on state governors assembled at the White House today to join in a state-federal "crusade for law enforcement."

Forty-three of the 50 governors met with the President before embarking on panel discussions on law enforcement, the economy and foreign policy focused on Vietnam.

The President's remarks were in a prepared talk.

He urged the governors to get busy and prod Congress on an assortment of legislation he said would improve state and federal cooperation in various fields of domestic operations.

These were in such fields as recruiting able people for careers in government and improving the cost estimates on medicaid, a joint federal-state program to provide medical care to needy persons.

But it was crime and law and order that the state executives had listed as the prime topic— above Vietnam— they wanted to consider in a midyear conference with federal executives. And Johnson bore down hard on that.

"I hope," he said, "this meeting will help forge the strongest and most effective federal-state campaign for public order— in every sense of the phrase— that our country has ever witnessed."

Johnson said he and the governors have work to do in meeting the challenge of lawlessness and that he wanted to give the term "public order" an enlarged meaning.

Public order rests in the final analysis on the consent of the people, he said, and not on force.

He said it rests on the people's belief that public order is the climate in which they may attain good jobs, decent homes, good educations for their children, health for their families, freedom from discrimination, a sense of community purpose and participation, and safety at home and on the streets.

"When individuals or groups attack the public order— for whatever reason— they must be stopped," Johnson said. "No society can tolerate attacks upon itself."

Going on to his enlarged description of public order, the President said people must believe mightily there is an opportunity for them and their children in American cities and government has an inescapable responsibility here, as in crime control.

Johnson said the national government has begun to meet the responsibility but public order also demands the help of government at all levels and of private industry.

Governors May Push Rockefeller

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican governors might be able to mount a formidable bloc of more than 400 presidential nominating votes for Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York if they decide to unite behind him.

Michigan Gov. George Romney's abrupt withdrawal Wednesday from the contest for the GOP nomination left the party's moderates barren of a candidate. The immediate reaction was that they would push the publicly reluctant Rockefeller into the contest.

In his parting advice to his moderate colleagues, who number about 18 of the 26 Republican state executives, Romney called on them to get together quickly behind a standard-bearer who would offer some alternatives to President Johnson's policies— Vietnam included.

If the governors actually do achieve a unity they have not displayed before, they could amass a sizeable chunk of convention votes— mostly from the large industrial states— that might keep former Vice President Richard M. Nixon from sweeping to a bandwagon victory at the Miami Beach, Fla., convention in August.

Nomination requires 667 convention votes.

Romney's decision to pull out seems likely to blunt the effect of what Nixon was counting on as a smashing series of victories in the presidential primaries to establish a new image as a winner.

With the exception of the May 28 Oregon race, where Rockefeller's name might be found on the ballot if he emerges as an active candidate, Nixon will be beating only shadow or write-in candidates. There is no major political profit in that exercise.

If the governors "draft" Rockefeller in a huddle during National Governors Conference sessions underway in Washington, they will count on the New Yorker campaigning actively for the nomination. He has said he is not a candidate but would respond to a draft.

But if the state executives think they can announce their choice and the convention will acquiesce, they don't know Nixon well enough. He will be in there slugging, with an almost solid Southern bloc behind him and strongholds in almost every section of the country.

Rockefeller as a candidate would reap support from the belief popular among a great many Republicans that he is the man with the best chance to defeat President Johnson in November.

However, the New York governor would have to come out from behind the shield of his state office and take a position on such issues as Vietnam. He has supported resolutions in the past endorsing Johnson's Asian course but has been able to avoid details.

Party conservatives, still angry with him for avoiding active support of Barry Goldwater in 1964, can be expected to start shooting at Rockefeller at once. They long have felt Romney was going nowhere and that the New York governor would be the moderates' candidate.

Charleston Lions Will Crown Queen

CHARLESTON -- The annual Charleston Lions Club Jubilee will be in the junior high school auditorium Saturday at 8 p.m. Tickets can be purchased from the Lions or at the door.

This year's show will feature the crowning of the Lions Queen of the Year. The selected girl will represent the Club at the Cotton Carnival, homecoming, Chamber of Commerce parade and other city functions.

Other show activities will include performances by club members and community talent.

Sikeston Board Okays Annexation

The Morehouse C-12 school district will become part of the Sikeston R-6 district Wednesday. The Sikeston board of education approved the annexation yesterday.

The annexation petition was presented to the R-6 board by C-12 officials following an election in which C-12 residents voted to become part of the Sikeston district.

The special election Feb. 20, believed to have brought out the largest turnout of any Morehouse school election, carried by eight votes, 395-387.

In explaining the school board's stand on the annexation, Dr. A. D. Martin, president of the Sikeston board, said:

"Initially we can offer our Morehouse neighbors educational opportunities and services, that, because of their relatively small enrollment, they cannot now provide and over the long term we can collectively provide much better schooling for all of our children.

"We are about equal in financial ability, that is, assessed valuation per child. So by pooling our resources, we think that we can provide higher quality education for each youngster enrolled.

"Many Morehouse residents work in Sikeston, they trade here, they are our good neighbors. We welcome them to this partnership of working toward the best schooling which we can provide for all of our children."

The board's action makes it legal for Morehouse citizens to vote in the annual school election April 2, when two board members will be elected for three-year terms.

About 400 children attend the Morehouse schools. The Sikeston school system enrolls about 4,000.

The Morehouse patrons will not be able to vote in the special election Tuesday to determine whether a 15-cent tax levy will be added to the R-6 levy to maintain a kindergarten.

Morehouse patrons cannot vote in this election because the C-12 district will not become part of the R-6 district until a day later.

The R-6 levy is $4 per $100 assessed voluation. The C-12 levy was $3.

It is not known what organizational changes will be made. Sikeston Supt. Lynn Twitty said it was probable that an elementary unit would be maintained in Morehouse, where a new $190,000 elementary school has been built.

It is also possible that one unit of sixth, seventh and eighth grade pupils might be maintained at Morehouse and likely that some high school students will attend the Sikeston high school, Twitty said.

Changes will be made after study and consultation with representative citizens from the Morehouse area, Twitty reported.

Tourism Clash Stymies State Appropriations

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — House and Senate conferees have reached an impasse over appropriations for the new state Tourism Commission.

The conference committee abruptly cut off its meetings Wednesday after House members refused to accept a Senate compromise proposal.

Rep. E. J. (Lucky) Cantrell, D-Overland, House appropriations chairman, said the situation is so serious "there is a great possibility the legislature could go home without passing these bills."

If the appropriations are not passed when the session must end March 12, Gov. Warren E. Hearnes would have to call another special session immediately to finance the government for the fiscal year starting July 1.

Sen. J.F. Patterson, D-Caruthersville, Senate chairman, said House members refused to bypass the disputed item and go on to other bills.

He and other Senate conferees were angered by the fact the House conferees refused to show up Wednesday morning and declined to compromise. Cantrell had no comment on who was responsible but said he wasn't angry.

Patterson said he was deeply concerned that only seven working days remain when the meetings resume Monday.

Both houses are in recess until Monday afternoon.

Then the Senate Apportionment Committee has a hearing on a House approved Congressional redistricting bill. The Senate also has its own redistricting bill pending for debate.

Order of 29'ers Celebrates Today

PITTSBURG, Kan. (AP) — World Chapter No. 1, order of 29'ers — an exclusive organization of persons born on Feb. 29— held its mythical grand conclave today.

The chapter, with some 2,200 members in nearly every state and several foreign countries, was launched by the Pittsburg Headlight-Sun 40 years ago.

It has no meetings and no dues— its members just get together in spirit each Feb. 29 to celebrate their once-every-four-years birthdays.

So far this Leap Year, 217 new memers have joined, reports Kenneth L. Simons, managing editor of the Headlight-Sun, who serves as executive secretary of the 29'ers.

Among the new members is President M.C. Cunningham of Fort Hays State College. Oldest person added to the rolls this year is 96-year-old Oscar Lee Tate of Mexico, Mo. Three sets of twins also became members.

Twenty - one new members— born in 1884, six in 1888, five in 1892 and nine in 1896— had one thing in common. All had to go eight years without a birthday once in their lives. There was no Feb. 29 in 1900.

Official scrolls have been mailed by the newspaper to new members who have sent in $1 each to pay for engraving, mailing and handling.

Cuba Accuses U.S. of Warlike Sea Maneuvers

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — The Cuban government charged today that U. S. Coast Guard vessels pointed cannons and used "a warlike maneuver" to interfere when a Cuban ship rammed a lifeboat in which three "traitor crewmen" were fleeing following a mutiny off the Virginia coast.

Radio Havana, in a broadcast monitored in Miami, carried a declaration from the Fidel Castro government's Foreign Ministry.

The declaration ended with a "most energetic protest against this new imperialistic Yankee aggression to grasp and protect this pirate-like action that violates the principles of freedom of the seas and international laws."

The ramming incident occurred Tuesday off the Virginia coast.

Radio Havana, voicing the official government line on the incident, said three crewmen of the 550-ton Cuban vessel 26 de Julio en route to Canada took the captain and crewmen by surprise to seize the ship and change its course toward Norfolk, Va. The report said the captain and crewmen were locked up aboard the vessel.

"Immediatly after the act of piracy was perpetrated, two United States Coast Guard units and a helicopter invaded the area, located 25 miles from the United States in international waters," the foreign ministry said.

"In manifest agreement with the Yankee war boats, and under obvious protection, the three traitor crewmen who perpetrated the villany lowered a boat after stealing all the money and a quantity of food (aboard the ship), trying to put themselves under the protection of the North American cannons," the broadcast alleged.

Nevertheless, their miserable purpose was frustrated by the rapid action of the captain and the rest of the crew of the Cuban ship which, by a collision with the stolen boat, made them return to the ship."

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Four Hurt in Collision

Four were injured in a two-car collision Wednesday at 6:45 p.m., on the Tilsit road five miles south of Jackson, the state patrol reported.

A 1963 Dodge, driven by Herman Amelunke, 51, Jackson, and a 1951 Chevrolet, driven by Bobby Wendel, 34, Jackson, collided on a hill crest of a narrow gravel road.

Injured in the Amelunke car were the driver and his wife, Virginia Amelunke, 44, and son, David Amelunke, five, all of Jackson. All received head injuries. They were taken to Southeast Missouri hospital in Cape Girardeau.

Barbara Wendel, 34, Jackson, passenger in the Wendel car, was treated by a Jackson physician for a head injury.

Wednesday at 10:45 a.m. on a blacktop road, one mile east of Charleston, Troy Crain, 58, route two, Charleston, escaped injury, when his 1955 Chevrolet, ran off the road while making a left turn, and struck a telephone pole.

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PREPARING FOR THE WINDY month, the Daily Standard's March calendar girl, Roseann Deschamp, 17, chooses a kite. Miss Deschamp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Deschamp, 815 Vernon, plans to attend Southeast Missouri State College in Cape Girardeau where she plans to major in history and social science. The five foot, six inch senior weighs 118 pounds and has brown hair and blue eyes. She is a 1967 Miss Sikeston finalist.

Shoplifting Charges Filed On Two Women

Two women were arrested by Sikeston police at 2:45 p.m. Wednesday and charged with shoplifting. They are identified as Emma Ree Coleman, 227 Young St., and Jennie Harris, 223 Young St.

Police charged the women with taking items of clothing valued at about $16 from Sterling Stores Co. Inc. on North New Madrid street, and F. W. Woolworth Co., 114 East Front.

In other activity, William Lee Schuerenberg, 809 West Malone, was charged at 5:35 p.m. Wednesday with disturbing the peace on East Malone.

Air Base Reports Bomber Missing

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — Carswell Air Force Base reported one of its B52F bombers missing and presumably down today. Eight men were aboard. It carried no bombs, an Air Force spokesman said.

A spokesman at Carswell where the plane was based said it would have exhausted its fuel at 6:30 a.m. today.

Carswell spokesmen said the plane should have returned to the base here at 3:30 a.m.

Governors Called to Join Law Enforcement Crusade

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Johnson called on state governors assembled at the White House today to join in a state-federal "crusade for law enforcement."

Forty-three of the 50 governors met with the President before embarking on panel discussions on law enforcement, the economy and foreign policy focused on Vietnam.

The President's remarks were in a prepared talk.

He urged the governors to get busy and prod Congress on an assortment of legislation he said would improve state and federal cooperation in various fields of domestic operations.

These were in such fields as recruiting able people for careers in government and improving the cost estimates on medicaid, a joint federal-state program to provide medical care to needy persons.

But it was crime and law and order that the state executives had listed as the prime topic— above Vietnam— they wanted to consider in a midyear conference with federal executives. And Johnson bore down hard on that.

"I hope," he said, "this meeting will help forge the strongest and most effective federal-state campaign for public order— in every sense of the phrase— that our country has ever witnessed."

Johnson said he and the governors have work to do in meeting the challenge of lawlessness and that he wanted to give the term "public order" an enlarged meaning.

Public order rests in the final analysis on the consent of the people, he said, and not on force.

He said it rests on the people's belief that public order is the climate in which they may attain good jobs, decent homes, good educations for their children, health for their families, freedom from discrimination, a sense of community purpose and participation, and safety at home and on the streets.

"When individuals or groups attack the public order— for whatever reason— they must be stopped," Johnson said. "No society can tolerate attacks upon itself."

Going on to his enlarged description of public order, the President said people must believe mightily there is an opportunity for them and their children in American cities and government has an inescapable responsibility here, as in crime control.

Johnson said the national government has begun to meet the responsibility but public order also demands the help of government at all levels and of private industry.

Governors May Push Rockefeller

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican governors might be able to mount a formidable bloc of more than 400 presidential nominating votes for Gov. Nelson A. Rockefeller of New York if they decide to unite behind him.

Michigan Gov. George Romney's abrupt withdrawal Wednesday from the contest for the GOP nomination left the party's moderates barren of a candidate. The immediate reaction was that they would push the publicly reluctant Rockefeller into the contest.

In his parting advice to his moderate colleagues, who number about 18 of the 26 Republican state executives, Romney called on them to get together quickly behind a standard-bearer who would offer some alternatives to President Johnson's policies— Vietnam included.

If the governors actually do achieve a unity they have not displayed before, they could amass a sizeable chunk of convention votes— mostly from the large industrial states— that might keep former Vice President Richard M. Nixon from sweeping to a bandwagon victory at the Miami Beach, Fla., convention in August.

Nomination requires 667 convention votes.

Romney's decision to pull out seems likely to blunt the effect of what Nixon was counting on as a smashing series of victories in the presidential primaries to establish a new image as a winner.

With the exception of the May 28 Oregon race, where Rockefeller's name might be found on the ballot if he emerges as an active candidate, Nixon will be beating only shadow or write-in candidates. There is no major political profit in that exercise.

If the governors "draft" Rockefeller in a huddle during National Governors Conference sessions underway in Washington, they will count on the New Yorker campaigning actively for the nomination. He has said he is not a candidate but would respond to a draft.

But if the state executives think they can announce their choice and the convention will acquiesce, they don't know Nixon well enough. He will be in there slugging, with an almost solid Southern bloc behind him and strongholds in almost every section of the country.

Rockefeller as a candidate would reap support from the belief popular among a great many Republicans that he is the man with the best chance to defeat President Johnson in November.

However, the New York governor would have to come out from behind the shield of his state office and take a position on such issues as Vietnam. He has supported resolutions in the past endorsing Johnson's Asian course but has been able to avoid details.

Party conservatives, still angry with him for avoiding active support of Barry Goldwater in 1964, can be expected to start shooting at Rockefeller at once. They long have felt Romney was going nowhere and that the New York governor would be the moderates' candidate.

Sikeston Board Okays Annexation

The Morehouse C-12 school district will become part of the Sikeston R-6 district Wednesday. The Sikeston board of education approved the annexation yesterday.

The annexation petition was presented to the R-6 board by C-12 officials following an election in which C-12 residents voted to become part of the Sikeston district.

The special election Feb. 20, believed to have brought out the largest turnout of any Morehouse school election, carried by eight votes, 395-387.

In explaining the school board's stand on the annexation, Dr. A. D. Martin, president of the Sikeston board, said:

"Initially we can offer our Morehouse neighbors educational opportunities and services, that, because of their relatively small enrollment, they cannot now provide and over the long term we can collectively provide much better schooling for all of our children.

"We are about equal in financial ability, that is, assessed valuation per child. So by pooling our resources, we think that we can provide higher quality education for each youngster enrolled.

"Many Morehouse residents work in Sikeston, they trade here, they are our good neighbors. We welcome them to this partnership of working toward the best schooling which we can provide for all of our children."

The board's action makes it legal for Morehouse citizens to vote in the annual school election April 2, when two board members will be elected for three-year terms.

About 400 children attend the Morehouse schools. The Sikeston school system enrolls about 4,000.

The Morehouse patrons will not be able to vote in the special election Tuesday to determine whether a 15-cent tax levy will be added to the R-6 levy to maintain a kindergarten.

Morehouse patrons cannot vote in this election because the C-12 district will not become part of the R-6 district until a day later.

The R-6 levy is $4 per $100 assessed voluation. The C-12 levy was $3.

It is not known what organizational changes will be made. Sikeston Supt. Lynn Twitty said it was probable that an elementary unit would be maintained in Morehouse, where a new $190,000 elementary school has been built.

It is also possible that one unit of sixth, seventh and eighth grade pupils might be maintained at Morehouse and likely that some high school students will attend the Sikeston high school, Twitty said.

Changes will be made after study and consultation with representative citizens from the Morehouse area, Twitty reported.

Tourism Clash Stymies State Appropriations

JEFFERSON CITY (AP) — House and Senate conferees have reached an impasse over appropriations for the new state Tourism Commission.

The conference committee abruptly cut off its meetings Wednesday after House members refused to accept a Senate compromise proposal.

Rep. E. J. (Lucky) Cantrell, D-Overland, House appropriations chairman, said the situation is so serious "there is a great possibility the legislature could go home without passing these bills."

If the appropriations are not passed when the session must end March 12, Gov. Warren E. Hearnes would have to call another special session immediately to finance the government for the fiscal year starting July 1.

Sen. J.F. Patterson, D-Caruthersville, Senate chairman, said House members refused to bypass the disputed item and go on to other bills.

He and other Senate conferees were angered by the fact the House conferees refused to show up Wednesday morning and declined to compromise. Cantrell had no comment on who was responsible but said he wasn't angry.

Patterson said he was deeply concerned that only seven working days remain when the meetings resume Monday.

Both houses are in recess until Monday afternoon.

Then the Senate Apportionment Committee has a hearing on a House approved Congressional redistricting bill. The Senate also has its own redistricting bill pending for debate.

Charleston Lions Will Crown Queen

CHARLESTON -- The annual Charleston Lions Club Jubilee will be in the junior high school auditorium Saturday at 8 p.m. Tickets can be purchased from the Lions or at the door.

This year's show will feature the crowning of the Lions Queen of the Year. The selected girl will represent the Club at the Cotton Carnival, homecoming, Chamber of Commerce parade and other city functions.

Other show activities will include performances by club members and community talent.

Cuba Accuses U.S. of Warlike Sea Maneuvers

MIAMI, Fla. (AP) — The Cuban government charged today that U. S. Coast Guard vessels pointed cannons and used "a warlike maneuver" to interfere when a Cuban ship rammed a lifeboat in which three "traitor crewmen" were fleeing following a mutiny off the Virginia coast.

Radio Havana, in a broadcast monitored in Miami, carried a declaration from the Fidel Castro government's Foreign Ministry.

The declaration ended with a "most energetic protest against this new imperialistic Yankee aggression to grasp and protect this pirate-like action that violates the principles of freedom of the seas and international laws."

The ramming incident occurred Tuesday off the Virginia coast.

Radio Havana, voicing the official government line on the incident, said three crewmen of the 550-ton Cuban vessel 26 de Julio en route to Canada took the captain and crewmen by surprise to seize the ship and change its course toward Norfolk, Va. The report said the captain and crewmen were locked up aboard the vessel.

"Immediatly after the act of piracy was perpetrated, two United States Coast Guard units and a helicopter invaded the area, located 25 miles from the United States in international waters," the foreign ministry said.

"In manifest agreement with the Yankee war boats, and under obvious protection, the three traitor crewmen who perpetrated the villany lowered a boat after stealing all the money and a quantity of food (aboard the ship), trying to put themselves under the protection of the North American cannons," the broadcast alleged.

Nevertheless, their miserable purpose was frustrated by the rapid action of the captain and the rest of the crew of the Cuban ship which, by a collision with the stolen boat, made them return to the ship."

The broadcast said the crewmen were disarmed and arrested "like vulgarous hoodlums and traitors."

The broadcast said the ship was sailing toward Cuba "bringing the traitors as prisoners."

Order of 29'ers Celebrates Today

PITTSBURG, Kan. (AP) — World Chapter No. 1, order of 29'ers — an exclusive organization of persons born on Feb. 29— held its mythical grand conclave today.

The chapter, with some 2,200 members in nearly every state and several foreign countries, was launched by the Pittsburg Headlight-Sun 40 years ago.

It has no meetings and no dues— its members just get together in spirit each Feb. 29 to celebrate their once-every-four-years birthdays.

So far this Leap Year, 217 new memers have joined, reports Kenneth L. Simons, managing editor of the Headlight-Sun, who serves as executive secretary of the 29'ers.

Among the new members is President M.C. Cunningham of Fort Hays State College. Oldest person added to the rolls this year is 96-year-old Oscar Lee Tate of Mexico, Mo. Three sets of twins also became members.

Twenty-one new members— born in 1884, six in 1888, five in 1892 and nine in 1896— had one thing in common. All had to go eight years without a birthday once in their lives. There was no Feb. 29 in 1900.

Official scrolls have been mailed by the newspaper to new members who have sent in $1 each to pay for engraving, mailing and handling.

Finger and Arm Injuries Treated

Two were treated Wednesday in the Missouri Delta Community hospital emergency room for arm and finger injuries.

Gary Rinehart, Matthews, spilled hot liquid on left arm; Lary E. Trow, fell and injured finger of left hand.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

People don't always speak the truth.

They sometimes don't speak about what's on their minds and nobody can pry the information out of them.

Everybody at one time or another has given a false reason for doing or not doing something.

Usually they would rather people didn't know the real reason because they think it would make them appear to be foolish, vain or frivolous or that they would take on some other undesirable chracteristic in the eyes of others.

People quit going to church.

They give various reasons. Few tell the real reason.

Men resign from service clubs. Usually they blame the meals. The meals are seldom the reason.

And industrialists looking for new plant locations aren't different from other people.

If a city doesn't have a golf course it has two strikes on it as far as getting industries are concerned. The advance men that come to a community to look over a city's industrial potential usually are golfers.

They would never put it in a report or talk about it but if there was no golf course, they'd look for other reasons not to locate there.

That's the way Sherman Grant, who doesn't play golf, looks at it.

He's probably right.

He mentioned how impressed industrial plant locaters were by the provision at an Illinois city's airport of a courtesy car.

It is doubtful if any of them gave this as a reason for locating a plant there.

But it impressed and undoubtedly has influenced plant locations.

Often observing what people do rather than what they say reveals more about what makes them tick.

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North Vietnam does not seem to be interested in peace talks as long as we are clamoring for them.

Maybe a few bombs dropped on their cities might change their plea from us to them.

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A great deal is said about love at first sight, but not much about hatred at first offense, which is more sure.

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Among other things, ye who own "calendar" watches be grateful for 31-day months. Many of them are so contrived that you have to turn the thing forward a whole month to make the number come up right on the dial, when there's a 30- or 28- or 29-day month:

Technology has brought us a long way from the old-fashioned striking clock, whose hands had to be moved and stopped on each hour to get the things back on schedule if you ever let it run down.

"The Floater" of Big Sandy, Tenn., launches the new year with a word of advice:

If you want a clock
Whose chime is true,
There's one essential
You always do.
You leave the hour hand alone,
And wear your fingers to the bone,
By moving the minute hand around,
Eleven hours, and heed the sound;
Don't move before the chimes are still,
Or you'll gum the works up
More than Daylight Savings Time will.

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You are always hearing of cake that melts in your mouth, but did you ever hear of any that would not choke you to death if you did not chew it well or have something to drink with it?

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Some people are enthusiastic in recommending medicines, however, little they know about the ailments.

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WHO WILL MELT SILVER?

The Joint Commission on the Coinage, at its fourth meeting on or about Friday, March 1, is expected to examine the present ban on private melting of silver coins. Gresham's Law has driven most of the pre-1965 silver coins out of circulation and into the vaults of Federal Reserve banks or the hands of individual hoarders. With silver consumption outstripping domestic production by more than three times, it is obvious that silver coins some day must be melted. But by whom?

The Treasury's case for exclusive meeting rights rests on the argument that "the profit from melting. . . will accure to the government and thus to taxpayers generally." Would-be individual melters can claim no such altruistic motive; they are after windall profits for themselves. Private holders of silver coins stand to benefit whether or not they are granted the right to melt. If they are permitted to do so, they could sell the bulk silver for 30 to 40 per cent more than the face value of the coins from which it came. And if the Treasury is given the sole right to melt silver coins, those in private hands will automatically gain in numismatic value.

There seems little chance that the commission will recommend private melting. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Robert A. Wallace, in a Jan. 12 address before the Silver Users Association, declared that "Among many Members of Congress, members of the coinage commission, and Treasury officials, there is a distinct lack of sympathy for those who engage in hoarding and speculation in silver coins." He added: "Their activities severely handicapped our actions to deal with past coin shortages. The possibility of ever permitting them to reap windfall profits of millions of dollars at the expense of taxpayers will, to say the least, not be very popular."

The 24 - member Joint Commission on the Coinage was created by the Coinage Act of 1965. After its first meeting in May 1967, the Treasury restricted sales of its silver to industrial users only, at the $1.29 an ounce pegged price. Two months later, after the commission's second meeting, this ceiling price was dropped altogether. At the third meeting, Sept. 18, 1967, the commission reviewed developments following their previous historic decisions to see if any further changes were warranted. None was recommended.

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Look out for the man who boasts that he never kissed a woman.

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Ignorance may be bliss, but it is often contentment.

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GROW WOOD ON SPOIL BANKS

Two major pulpwood mills, one at Cape Girardeau, the other at Wickliffe, will be in operation within five years -- maybe sooner.

Tree growth along the Mississippi River, sloughs and drainage ditch banks will not keep these ever hungry giants supplied for very long. Pulpwood will be gathered and shipped from an area roughly 150 miles from the mills, and it will be transported by river barge, by rail and some by truck.

Westvaco at Wickliffe, is already planning "timber farms" within that 150-mile radius, and it is quite likely that Proctor and Gamble will follow some system of planned, scientific tree production.

Which brings us to a suggestion which this newspaper has mentioned before -- with no response or success.

There are in Southeast Missouri several thousand miles of "spoil banks" -- created when the miles and miles of drainage ditches were dug. These spoil banks are usually overgrown with blackberry bushes, buck brush, weeds and some scrawny trees. These ditch banks afford a haven for quail, rabbits and other birds and small game, and this is also very much to the good.

Now, however, there is a continuing market for pulpwood well within the buying zone of the two giant pulp users.

Why not use the ditch banks to grow pulp wood?

If it should require an act of the legislature to put county courts, or circuit court drainage and levee boards into the business of growing pulp wood, then we feel certain such permissive legislation could be obtained without delay.

We are not suggesting that each member of the county court spend his time setting out willow or cottonwood sprouts, or that he cultivate the "crop" and guard it against fire and poachers. We do believe, however, that some formula must be found to utilize, and utilize profitably, the tens of thousands of acres of spoil banks in Southeast Missouri for growing pulpwood commercially perhaps by contract, and perhaps on some equitable share crop basis.

The market has moved into our district.

All we need to do is provide the pulp.

Charleston Enterprise Courier

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Extrasensory Rejection. In London, Maurice Fogel unsuccessfully tried to get excused from registering for jury duty, on the grounds that his ability to read minds might embarrass the court when the trial started.

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Support the research, education and community service programs of your Heart Association through your generous gift to the 1968 Heart Fund.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) - Dear Pavement Plato:

So far I am a Leap Year loser. I have a target — Melvin, the bachelor of my choice.

I feel he loves me. This week he deliberately let me beat him twice in a row at Indian hand wrestling, and last summer when our crowd went on picnics I was the only girl he'd let help him look for four-leaf clovers.

But when I speak of marriage, Melvin just gets a faraway look and pretends he doesn't know what I am talking about. What can I do to win him as a husband?

Rosemary for Remembrance

Dear Rosemary:

To begin with, don't lose your cool. There are a lot of girls in your plight, each of whom believes that just because this is Leap Year she'll be able to sweep her own particular Melvin off his feet.

A majority of them will probably miss their goal because of one thing - overeagerness.

Since they realize that there is a 366-day open season on them this year, bachelors — like any other hunted creatures — are doubly shy. Before you can catch Melvin you first must court him.

How should a modern girl go about courting a modern bachelor? The same way that Porcupines court — cautiously. Don't pounce on him as if he were a mouse. Creep up on him as if he were a mouse.

Worm your way into Melvin's life gradually until he will finally decide himself that you are indispensable to his happiness.

As most bachelors today are looking for security above every thing else, do everything in your power to bolster Melvin's self-confidence.

If you go bowling or play pool together, let him win two times out of three, even though you have to play left-handed to do so.

Don't take him to your apartment to show him how well you can cook. Every bachelor prides himself on his culinary skill. Let him take you to his apartment and rustle up a meal. No matter how it tastes, praise every bitter bite. No man wants to spend his life with a woman who doesn't appeciate his cooking.

Assist him in every possible way. Sew on a button for him now and then. Help him write letters to his congressman or his draft board.

When you find Melvin turns to you in every emergency, it is time to wind up the campaign. Do it in style. Have him over to your apartment and again let him cook the meal. Ply him afterward with champagne, cuddle next to him on the love seat and tell him you're doing so well on the job that you soon expect to be named the first lady vice president in the history of your firm.

Then open your bank book, let him have a good long look at it and say:

"Melvin, dear, why don't you help me spend this forever and ever and ever and ever?"

One last tip: When you leave for Niagara Falls on your honeymoon, you pay for the tickets.

'I'd Feel Better If You'd Blockade Haiphong Harbor'



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

March 1, 1706 - The first Presbytery in America was organized in Philadelphia largely through the efforts of Rev. Francis Makemie, an Irish Presbyterian minister.

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TOMORROW

MARCH 1-FRIDAY

CHILDREN'S ART MONTH. Mar. 1-31. Purpose: "Promote greater understanding of the importance of art education for all children." Sponsor: Crayon, Water Color and Craft Institute, Inc., Claire Flanagan, P.R. Dir., Eden Hill Rd., Newton, CT 06470

COMMEMORATION OF THE ARRIVAL OF MARTIN PINZON. Mar. 1. Bayona, Spain. Commanded ship La Pinta, bringing to Europe the first news of the discovery of the New World.

EASTER SEAL CAMPAIGN. Mar. 1-April 14. Purpose: "To raise funds for services to crippled children and adults, nationwide." Sponsor: Natl. Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc., Catherine Bauer, P. R. Dir., 2023 W. Ogden Ave., Chicago, IL 60612

INTERNATIONAL STAMP & COIN EXHIBITION INTERPEX. Mar. 1-3. Americana Hotel, New York, NY. Sponsor: Industrial Exhibitions, Inc., 121 W. 45th St., New York, NY 10036

NATIONAL WEIGHTS AND MEASURES WEEK. Mar. 1-7. Purpose: "To emphasize significance of government supervision of weighing and measuring in support of accurate quantity determinations in buying and selling transactions." Sponsor: Weights and Measures Associates, Arthur Sanders, Exec. Secy., 1 Thomas Circle, Washington, DC 20005

RED CROSS MONTH. Mar. 1-31. Presidential Proclamation ordinarily. Purpose: "To carry on campaign for members and funds; educational program to help people understand Red Cross purpose and its services." Sponsor: American Natl. Red Cross, Meyer Mathis, Dir., Office of Publications, 17th and D Sts., N.W., Washington, DC 20006

RETURN THE BORROWED BOOK WEEK. Mar. 1-7. Purpose: "To remind you to make room for those precious old volumes that will be returned to you, by clearing out all that worthless trash your friends are waiting for." Sponsor: Inter-Global Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Cartoonists, Al Kaelin, Secy., 3119 Chadwick Dr., Los Angeles, Calif. 90032

ST. DAVID'S DAY. Mar. 1. Wales. Celebrates patron saint of Wales.

SPRING CLEAN-UP TIME. Mar. 1-Apr. 30. Purpose: "To help homemakers in spring cleaning chores, through promotion of Sal Soda Concentrated as a house cleaning and laundry aid." Sponsor: Church & Dwight Co., Inc., 70 Pine St., New York, NY 10005 (Theodore R. Sills, 39 S. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60603)

STATE DAY. Mar. 1. Nebraska. Became a state on this day, 1867.

TREE FESTIVAL. Mar. 1-31. Iraq. Celebrations, songs and dances. Young people plant trees throughout Iraq.

TUCSON RODEO - LA FIESTA DE LOS VAQUEROS. Mar. 1-3. Sponsor: Tucson Rodeo Comm., Mrs. Irma E. Halper, Secy., Tucson Chamber of Commerce, Box 991, Tucson, AZ 85702

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A little girl mouse and a little boy mouse were playing. Said the little girl mouse: "Let's play hide and seek. You be 'it.' If you find me, you can kiss me."

Little boy mouse: "When I find you I'm going to do more than kiss you."

Little girl mouse -- in an excited whisper: "I'll be in the bread box."

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She: "Oh, Steward, I've got a complaint. A sailor came into my cabin last evening."

He: "Well, what do you expect for second-class, the captain?"

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The young college couple zoomed out of the drive-in movie in their convertible.

He: "What part did you like the best?"

She: "The part in the back seat."

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POSTWAR REVENUE GAINS SEEN GOBBLED BY GOV'T.

Richard E. Slitor, Professor of Economics at the University of Massachusetts, cautioned attendees at Tax Foundation's 19th National Tax Conference that unless attention is paid to tax cutting opportunities in the post-Vietnam War era, a good part of whatever added revenues are gained then may "go by default into the public sector."

"Expenditure programs, as anyone with experience with family, club, PTA, or governmental budgets knows, will adequately assert themselves up to and beyond the available income," he said.

He pointed out that unless there is a "continuous, deliberate attention to opportunities for tax reduction, possibly in tandem with tax reform to avoid fiscal dra, encourage growth and strengthen the private sector, a disproportionate part of revenue growth may go by default into the public sector."

In his address "Fiscal Priorities: The Choices Available", Dr. Slitor said that some of the "most pressing and yet most attractive priority questions in the public finance lexicon" will face the nation after the Vietnam conflict is resolved.

These questions, he declared, center around the disposition of the "beneficient throw-off of the growth process in our productive and dynamic economy, the 'fiscal dividend'."

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When one lives above his income there isn't much doubt about the outcome.

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Washington-Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Landing supplies at Khe Sanh is perilous business; munitions must be dumped in two minutes; foggy weather sometimes makes landing impossible.

DA NANG -- Sgt. James Milonas's instructions were terse.

"We'll be on the ground at Khe Sanh less than two minutes," he said. "As soon as the cargo is dumped, pile out of the plane and run like hell for the nearest bunker."

Our C-123 assault transport was loaded with anti-tank ammo for beleaguered Khe Sanh, which the North Vietnamese hope to turn into an American Dien Bien Phu.

The ammunition was packed in boxes, which were lashed to a roller bed. After we hit the runway at the Sanh, the rear ramp would be lowered, and the load would roll out the tail as we taxied down the field. The deplaining passengers were supposed to follow after the cargo on the double.

The reason for the haste was that communist mortars, artillery and rockets were zeroed in on the air strip. As long as our giant transport plane remained on the strip it would be a dead duck in a communist shooting gallery.

The record turn-around for unloading a plane at Khe Sanh, Sgt. Milonas said, had been 43 seconds, no transport plane, however, stayed in the ground longer than two minutes. Even that was long enough for most planes to pick up shrapnel. Two had even been destroyed on the runway.

The rain forests on the lower slopes around the Khe Sanh are teeming with North Vietnamese. Their exact strength and location are hidden beneath a canopy of dense green foliage. Weeks ago they overran the small village of Khe Sanh. But the marines still hold the highlands.

Their main bastion forms an irregular rectangle about one mile long and half a mile wide on a shell-pocked plateau. The marines also occupy the mountaintops -- hills 861,881, and 950--looking down on the plateau.

CAN KHE SANH BE HELD?

Those heights dominate one of the main infiltration routes into South Vietnam. The marines, more accustomed to assault than defense, have been ordered to cling to the high ground.

Anxiously, the joint chiefs in Washington have asked Gen. William Westmoreland in Saigon whether he can hold the Khe Sanh Bastion against the massing North Vietnamese. The Pentagon brass have suggested it might be better to pull back, thus upsetting meticulously rigid enemy planning that is characteristic of the North Vietnamese.

Westmoreland assured the joint chiefs that he welcomed a showdown with Gen. Vo Nguyen Giap, the conqueror of Dien Bien Phu, now the enemy commander at Khe Sanh.

Marine officers told me that any defensive position, including Khe Sanh, can be overrun -- if enough manpower and firepower are thrown into the battle. However, they promised that the marines would make the North Vietnamese pay terribly for every foot of ground they take.

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DENSE FOG

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Evans rotated his finger in the air; we would circle for awhile. For nearly two hours, we circled over Khe Sanh, watching for a break in the fog. Once we dipped dangerously near the mountaintop level. but Evans formed a circle with his thumb and forefinger -- it was ceiling zero.

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Washington, D.C.: -- A political team as new as the latest "underground movie" is trotting into the field for Lyndon Johnson. It's the replacement for the labor-liberal - intellectual coalition which smashed when the Americans for Democratic Action endorsed Sen. Eugene McCarthy for president.

Spring practice began, as it should in this leage, at a cocktail party thrown by a once-upon-a-time semipro shortstop, the needle trades president Lou Stulberg, for the new star, John P. Roche.

The latter, a former Brandeis University professor, is good-humored and ruffles not a whit if you call him Lyndon Johnson's intellectual -in-residence at the White House.

Thus he is account executive in charge of soothing and countering the rapier wits of the world of universities, art and other sundry cultures. So he is busy. But on Tuesday, February 20, he took a day off and flew to the Bal Harbour, Fla., meeting of the AFL-CIO Executive Council, to meet the world of labor.

Prof. Roche, at whose effigy today's anti-Johnson liberals sling their deadliest darts, went as the guest of Lou Stulberg, who comparatively recently took the presidency of the politically powerful International Ladies Garment Workers' Union -- maker of U.S. presidents over the recent decades.

As such, Mr. Stulberg is adroit technically and politically with pins and needles. Stulberg, whose union is the biggest in make-or-break New York state, hosted the cocktail reception at the Hotel Americana for Professor Roche who, until that Tuesday night, had not met many of the meat and potatoes labor leaders. But that evening he was surrounded by the 35 or 40 labor chiefs who are the movement's political activists -- including George Meany himself.

This was Prof. Roche's first such visit, glass - clinking, and tete-a-tete with the directors of the Committee on Political Education (COPE) and the infrastructure of labor's national machine so vital to President Johnson's reelection campaign.

There was nothing subtle in the camaraderie between John Roche, former chairman of the Americans for Democratic Action, and Lou Stulberg, whose garment union had been the primary philosophical and financial force behind the 1947 launching of ADA.

But that was over 20 years ago when, during the cold war, some unionists and Hubert H. Humphrey had gathered to organize a liberal anti - Communist front. Today they are splintered.

Prof. Roche and Stulberg, along with economist Leon Keyserling and union chiefs I. W. Abel (of Steel) and Joe Beirne (of Communications) have resigned -- and are seeking a new coalition.

They haven't the slightest intention of leaving the liberal-labor -intellectual field to the anti - Johnson forces. They may not be able to retake the field before the presidential campaign heats up, but they'll try.

There's a new coalition in the making as soon as the three labor leaders -- representing over two million articulate unionists -- can get together.

These men do not believe the whirlwindish ADA will back Lyndon Johnson even if Sen. McCarthy finally does, in a dramatic gesture at the August Democratic national convention. These labor leaders believe that the ADA simply will go neutral or for a respectable peace candidate even if McCarthy stays on as a loyal party member.

They believe that the prime ADA objective is the defeat of Lyndon Johnson -- even if the opposition is Richard Nixon, Ronald Reagan, or George Romney.

Of course, say some of these labor leaders, there is always the danger of Gov. Nelson Rockefeller. High in the political sky, "Rocky" is beginning to look more like a dove than a hawk these days, they add. So, should the Republican nomination go to Nelson Rockefeller, there always is a good chance that the ADA may hop aboard his bandwagon.

Gov. Rockefeller's man was working the council ranks -- and other powerful labor chiefs -- during the Roche visit. Mr. Rockefeller's agent had many of them to lunch or dinner reminding them in great detail of the governor's pro-labor attitude during the garbage crisis.

And such influential men as the construction trades union leader Peter Brennan (who some day will lead the national combination of 18 building unions) listened for hours.

So the Stulbergs, the Abels, the Beirnes and, of course, the President's intellectual emissary are quite eager to launch a countervailing liberal - labor coalition against the ADA and other "defectors."

This would give such leaders as Walter Reuther and the Teachers Federation president, Charles Cogen, somehwere to go when ADA backs a pacifist or a Rockefeller (if he "doves-out," said one labor man).

Reuther, Cogen and some seven others, such as Reuther's brother, Victor, and the AFL-CIO's Industrial Union Dept.'s Jack Conway, remained in ADA.

There is far more here than the desire to neutralize the pro-McCarthy move by ADA. There is the logical feeling that without such a labor-liberal - intellectual pro-Johnson coalition, the President just cannot carry New York State, and without that, he cannot carry the nation.

So the new team which gathered that night of the cocktail party may become the most historic combination since Tinker to Evers to Chance.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

People don't always speak the truth.

They sometimes don't speak about what's on their minds and nobody can pry the information out of them.

Everybody at one time or another has given a false reason for doing or not doing something.

Usually they would rather people didn't know the real reason because they think it would make them appear to be foolish, vain or frivolous or that they would take on some other undesirable chracteristic in the eyes of others.

People quit going to church.

They give various reasons. Few tell the real reason.

Men resign from service clubs. Usually they blame the meals. The meals are seldom the reason.

And industrialists looking for new plant locations aren't different from other people.

If a city doesn't have a golf course it has two strikes on it as far as getting industries are concerned. The advance men that come to a community to look over a city's industrial potential usually are golfers.

They would never put it in a report or talk about it but if there was no golf course, they'd look for other reasons not to locate there.

That's the way Sherman Grant, who doesn't play golf, looks at it.

He's probably right.

He mentioned how impressed industrial plant locaters were by the provision at an Illinois city's airport of a courtesy car.

It is doubtful if any of them gave this as a reason for locating a plant there.

But it impressed and undoubtedly has influenced plant locations.

Often observing what people do rather than what they say reveals more about what makes them tick.

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North Vietnam does not seem to be interested in peace talks as long as we are clamoring for them.

Maybe a few bombs dropped on their cities might change their plea from us to them.

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A great deal is said about love at first sight, but not much about hatred at first offense, which is more sure.

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Among other things, ye who own "calendar" watches be grateful for 31-day months. Many of them are so contrived that you have to turn the thing forward a whole month to make the number come up right on the dial, when there's a 30- or 28- or 29-day month.

Technology has brought us a long way from the old-fashioned striking clock, whose hands had to be moved and stopped on each hour to get the things back on schedule if you ever let it run down.

"The Floater" of Big Sandy, Tenn., launches the new year with a word of advice:

If you want a clock
Whose chime is true,
There's one essential
You always do.
You leave the hour hand alone,
And wear your fingers to the bone,
By moving the minute hand around,
Eleven hours, and heed the sound;
Don't move before the chimes are still,
Or you'll gum the works up
More than Daylight Savings Time will.

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You are always hearing of cake that melts in your mouth, but did you ever hear of any that would not choke you to death if you did not chew it well or have something to drink with it?

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Some people are enthusiastic in recommending medicines, however, little they know about the ailments.

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WHO WILL MELT SILVER?

The Joint Commission on the Coinage, at its fourth meeting on or about Friday, March 1, is expected to examine the present ban on private melting of silver coins. Gresham's Law has driven most of the pre-1965 silver coins out of circulation and into the vaults of Federal Reserve banks or the hands of individual hoarders. With silver consumption outstripping domestic production by more than three times, it is obvious that silver coins some day must be melted. But by whom?

The Treasury's case for exclusive meeting rights rests on the argument that "the profit from melting. . . will accure to the government and thus to taxpayers generally." Would-be individual melters can claim no such altruistic motive; they are after windall profits for themselves. Private holders of silver coins stand to benefit whether or not they are granted the right to melt. If they are permitted to do so, they could sell the bulk silver for 30 to 40 per cent more than the face value of the coins from which it came. And if the Treasury is given the sole right to melt silver coins, those in private hands will automatically gain in numismatic value.

There seems little chance that the commission will recommend private melting. Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Robert A. Wallace, in a Jan. 12 address before the Silver Users Association, declared that "Among many Members of Congress, members of the coinage commission, and Treasury officials, there is a distinct lack of sympathy for those who engage in hoarding and speculation in silver coins." He added: "Their activities severely handicapped our actions to deal with past coin shortages. The possibility of ever permitting them to reap windfall profits of millions of dollars at the expense of taxpayers will, to say the least, not be very popular."

The 24 - member Joint Commission on the Coinage was created by the Coinage Act of 1965. After its first meeting in May 1967, the Treasury restricted sales of its silver to industrial users only, at the $1.29 an ounce pegged price. Two months later, after the commission's second meeting, this ceiling price was dropped altogether. At the third meeting, Sept. 18, 1967, the commission reviewed developments following their previous historic decisions to see if any further changes were warranted. None was recommended.

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Look out for the man who boasts that he never kissed a woman.

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Ignorance may be bliss, but it is often contentment.

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GROW WOOD ON SPOIL BANKS

Two major pulpwood mills, one at Cape Girardeau, the other at Wickliffe, will be in operation within five years -- maybe sooner.

Tree growth along the Mississippi River, sloughs and drainage ditch banks will not keep these ever hungry giants supplied for very long. Pulpwood will be gathered and shipped from an area roughly 150 miles from the mills, and it will be transported by river barge, by rail and some by truck.

Westvaco at Wickliffe, is already planning "timber farms" within that 150-mile radius, and it is quite likely that Proctor and Gamble will follow some system of planned, scientific tree production.

Which brings us to a suggestion which this newspaper has mentioned before -- with no response or success.

There are in Southeast Missouri several thousand miles of "spoil banks" -- created when the miles and miles of drainage ditches were dug. These spoil banks are usually overgrown with blackberry bushes, buck brush, weeds and some scrawny trees. These ditch banks afford a haven for quail, rabbits and other birds and small game, and this is also very much to the good.

Now, however, there is a continuing market for pulpwood well within the buying zone of the two giant pulp users.

Why not use the ditch banks to grow pulp wood?

If it should require an act of the legislature to put county courts, or circuit court drainage and levee boards into the business of growing pulp wood, then we feel certain such permissive legislation could be obtained without delay.

We are not suggesting that each member of the county court spend his time setting out willow or cottonwood sprouts, or that he cultivate the "crop" and guard it against fire and poachers. We do believe, however, that some formula must be found to utilize, and utilize profitably, the tens of thousands of acres of spoil banks in Southeast Missouri for growing pulpwood commercially perhaps by contract, and perhaps on some equitable share crop basis.

The market has moved into our district.

All we need to do is provide the pulp.

Charleston Enterprise Courier

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Extrasensory Rejection. In London, Maurice Fogel unsuccessfully tried to get excused from registering for jury duty, on the grounds that his ability to read minds might embarrass the court when the trial started.

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Support the research, education and community service programs of your Heart Association through your generous gift to the 1968 Heart Fund.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) - Dear Pavement Plato:

So far I am a Leap Year loser. I have a target — Melvin, the bachelor of my choice.

I feel he loves me. This week he deliberately let me beat him twice in a row at Indian hand wrestling, and last summer when our crowd went on picnics I was the only girl he'd let help him look for four-leaf clovers.

But when I speak of marriage, Melvin just gets a faraway look and pretends he doesn't know what I am talking about. What can I do to win him as a husband?

Rosemary for Remembrance

Dear Rosemary:

To begin with, don't lose your cool. There are a lot of girls in your plight, each of whom believes that just because this is Leap Year she'll be able to sweep her own particular Melvin off his feet.

A majority of them will probably miss their goal because of one thing - overeagerness.

Since they realize that there is a 366-day open season on them this year, bachelors — like any other hunted creatures — are doubly shy. Before you can catch Melvin you first must court him.

How should a modern girl go about courting a modern bachelor? The same way that Porcupines court — cautiously. Don't pounce on him as if he were a mouse. Creep up on him as if he were a mouse.

Worm your way into Melvin's life gradually until he will finally decide himself that you are indispensable to his happiness.

As most bachelors today are looking for security above every thing else, do everything in your power to bolster Melvin's self-confidence.

If you go bowling or play pool together, let him win two times out of three, even though you have to play left-handed to do so.

Don't take him to your apartment to show him how well you can cook. Every bachelor prides himself on his culinary skill. Let him take you to his apartment and rustle up a meal. No matter how it tastes, praise every bitter bite. No man wants to spend his life with a woman who doesn't appeciate his cooking.

Assist him in every possible way. Sew on a button for him now and then. Help him write letters to his congressman or his draft board.

When you find Melvin turns to you in every emergency, it is time to wind up the campaign. Do it in style. Have him over to your apartment and again let him cook the meal. Ply him afterward with champagne, cuddle next to him on the love seat and tell him you're doing so well on the job that you soon expect to be named the first lady vice president in the history of your firm.

Then open your bank book, let him have a good long look at it and say:

"Melvin, dear, why don't you help me spend this forever and ever and ever and ever?"

One last tip: When you leave for Niagara Falls on your honeymoon, you pay for the tickets.

'I'd Feel Better If You'd Blockade Haiphong Harbor'



MARCH BIRTHDAYS

March 1, 1706 - The first Presbytery in America was organized in Philadelphia largely through the efforts of Rev. Francis Makemie, an Irish Presbyterian minister.

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TOMORROW

MARCH 1-FRIDAY

CHILDREN'S ART MONTH. Mar. 1-31. Purpose: "Promote greater understanding of the importance of art education for all children." Sponsor: Crayon, Water Color and Craft Institute, Inc., Claire Flanagan, P.R. Dir., Eden Hill Rd., Newton, CT 06470

COMMEMORATION OF THE ARRIVAL OF MARTIN PINZON. Mar. 1. Bayona, Spain. Commanded ship La Pinta, bringing to Europe the first news of the discovery of the New World.

EASTER SEAL CAMPAIGN. Mar. 1-April 14. Purpose: "To raise funds for services to crippled children and adults, nationwide." Sponsor: Natl. Society for Crippled Children and Adults, Inc., Catherine Bauer, P. R. Dir., 2023 W. Ogden Ave., Chicago, IL 60612

INTERNATIONAL STAMP & COIN EXHIBITION INTERPEX. Mar. 1-3. Americana Hotel, New York, NY. Sponsor: Industrial Exhibitions, Inc., 121 W. 45th St., New York, NY 10036

NATIONAL WEIGHTS AND MEASURES WEEK. Mar. 1-7. Purpose: "To emphasize significance of government supervision of weighing and measuring in support of accurate quantity determinations in buying and selling transactions." Sponsor: Weights and Measures Associates, Arthur Sanders, Exec. Secy., 1 Thomas Circle, Washington, DC 20005

RED CROSS MONTH. Mar. 1-31. Presidential Proclamation ordinarily. Purpose: "To carry on campaign for members and funds; educational program to help people understand Red Cross purpose and its services." Sponsor: American Natl. Red Cross, Meyer Mathis, Dir., Office of Publications, 17th and D Sts., N.W., Washington, DC 20006

RETURN THE BORROWED BOOK WEEK. Mar. 1-7. Purpose: "To remind you to make room for those precious old volumes that will be returned to you, by clearing out all that worthless trash your friends are waiting for." Sponsor: Inter-Global Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Cartoonists, Al Kaelin, Secy., 3119 Chadwick Dr., Los Angeles, Calif. 90032

ST. DAVID'S DAY. Mar. 1. Wales. Celebrates patron saint of Wales.

SPRING CLEAN-UP TIME. Mar. 1-Apr. 30. Purpose: "To help homemakers in spring cleaning chores, through promotion of Sal Soda Concentrated as a house cleaning and laundry aid." Sponsor: Church & Dwight Co., Inc., 70 Pine St., New York, NY 10005 (Theodore R. Sills, 39 S. LaSalle St., Chicago, IL 60603)

STATE DAY. Mar. 1. Nebraska. Became a state on this day, 1867.

TREE FESTIVAL. Mar. 1-31. Iraq. Celebrations, songs and dances. Young people plant trees throughout Iraq.

TUCSON RODEO - LA FIESTA DE LOS VAQUEROS. Mar. 1-3. Sponsor: Tucson Rodeo Comm., Mrs. Irma E. Halper, Secy., Tucson Chamber of Commerce, Box 991, Tucson, AZ 85702

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A little girl mouse and a little boy mouse were playing. Said the little girl mouse: "Let's play hide and seek. You be 'it.' If you find me, you can kiss me."

Little boy mouse: "When I find you I'm going to do more than kiss you."

Little girl mouse -- in an excited whisper: "I'll be in the bread box."

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She: "Oh, Steward, I've got a complaint. A sailor came into my cabin last evening."

He: "Well, what do you expect for second-class, the captain?"

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The young college couple zoomed out of the drive-in movie in their convertible.

He: "What part did you like the best?"

She: "The part in the back seat."

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POSTWAR REVENUE GAINS SEEN GOBBLED BY GOV'T.

Richard E. Slitor, Professor of Economics at the University of Massachusetts, cautioned attendees at Tax Foundation's 19th National Tax Conference that unless attention is paid to tax cutting opportunities in the post-Vietnam War era, a good part of whatever added revenues are gained then may "go by default into the public sector."

"Expenditure programs, as anyone with experience with family, club, PTA, or governmental budgets knows, will adequately assert themselves up to and beyond the available income," he said.

He pointed out that unless there is a "continuous, deliberate attention to opportunities for tax reduction, possibly in tandem with tax reform to avoid fiscal dra, encourage growth and strengthen the private sector, a disproportionate part of revenue growth may go by default into the public sector."

In his address "Fiscal Priorities: The Choices Available", Dr. Slitor said that some of the "most pressing and yet most attractive priority questions in the public finance lexicon" will face the nation after the Vietnam conflict is resolved.

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Washington-Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS: Landing supplies at Khe Sanh is perilous business; munitions must be dumped in two minutes; foggy weather sometimes makes landing impossible.

DA NANG -- Sgt. James Milonas's instructions were terse.

"We'll be on the ground at Khe Sanh less than two minutes," he said. "As soon as the cargo is dumped, pile out of the plane and run like hell for the nearest bunker."

Our C-123 assault transport was loaded with anti-tank ammo for beleaguered Khe Sanh, which the North Vietnamese hope to turn into an American Dien Bien Phu.

The ammunition was packed in boxes, which were lashed to a roller bed. After we hit the runway at the Sanh, the rear ramp would be lowered, and the load would roll out the tail as we taxied down the field. The deplaining passengers were supposed to follow after the cargo on the double.

The reason for the haste was that communist mortars, artillery and rockets were zeroed in on the air strip. As long as our giant transport plane remained on the strip it would be a dead duck in a communist shooting gallery.

The record turn-around for unloading a plane at Khe Sanh, Sgt. Milonas said, had been 43 seconds, no transport plane, however, stayed in the ground longer than two minutes. Even that was long enough for most planes to pick up shrapnel. Two had even been destroyed on the runway.

The rain forests on the lower slopes around the Khe Sanh are teeming with North Vietnamese. Their exact strength and location are hidden beneath a canopy of dense green foliage. Weeks ago they overran the small village of Khe Sanh. But the marines still hold the highlands.

Their main bastion forms an irregular rectangle about one mile long and half a mile wide on a shell-pocked plateau. The marines also occupy the mountaintops -- hills 861,881, and 950--looking down on the plateau.

CAN KHE SANH BE HELD?

These heights dominate one of the main infiltration routes into South Vietnam. The marines, more accustomed to assault than defense, have been ordered to cling to the high ground.

Anxiously, the joint chiefs in Washington have asked Gen. William Westmoreland in Saigon whether he can hold the Khe Sanh Bastion against the massing North Vietnamese. The Pentagon brass have suggested it might be better to pull back, thus upsetting meticulously rigid enemy planning that is characteristic of the North Vietnamese.

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Washington, D.C.: -- A political team as new as the latest "underground movie" is trotting into the field for Lyndon Johnson. It's the replacement for the labor-liberal - intellectual coalition which smashed when the Americans for Democratic Action endorsed Sen. Eugene McCarthy for president.

Spring practice began, as it should in this leage, at a cocktail party thrown by a once-upon-a-time semipro shortstop, the needle trades president Lou Stulberg, for the new star, John P. Roche.

The latter, a former Brandeis University professor, is good-humored and ruffles not a whit if you call him Lyndon Johnson's intellectual -in-residence at the White House.

Thus he is account executive in charge of soothing and countering the rapier wits of the world of universities, art and other sundry cultures. So he is busy. But on Tuesday, February 20, he took a day off and flew to the Bal Harbour, Fla., meeting of the AFL-CIO Executive Council, to meet the world of labor.

Prof. Roche, at whose effigy today's anti-Johnson liberals sling their deadliest darts, went as the guest of Lou Stulberg, who comparatively recently took the presidency of the politically powerful International Ladies Garment Workers' Union -- maker of U.S. presidents over the recent decades.

As such, Mr. Stulberg is adroit technically and politically with pins and needles. Stulberg, whose union is the biggest in make-or-break New York state, hosted the cocktail reception at the Hotel Americana for Professor Roche who, until that Tuesday night, had not met many of the meat and potatoes labor leaders. But that evening he was surrounded by the 35 or 40 labor chiefs who are the movement's political activists -- including George Meany himself.

This was Prof. Roche's first such visit, glass - clinking, and tete-a-tete with the directors of the Committee on Political Education (COPE) and the infrastructure of labor's national machine so vital to President Johnson's reelection campaign.

There was nothing subtle in the camaraderie between John Roche, former chairman of the Americans for Democratic Action, and Lou Stulberg, whose garment union had been the primary philosophical and financial force behind the 1947 launching of ADA.

But that was over 20 years ago when, during the cold war, some unionists and Hubert H. Humphrey had gathered to organize a liberal anti - Communist front. Today they are splintered.

Prof. Roche and Stulberg, along with economist Leon Keyserling and union chiefs I. W. Abel (of Steel) and Joe Beirne (of Communications) have resigned -- and are seeking a new coalition.

They haven't the slightest intention of leaving the liberal-labor -intellectual field to the anti - Johnson forces. They may not be able to retake the field before the presidential campaign heats up, but they'll try.

There's a new coalition in the making as soon as the three labor leaders -- representing over two million articulate unionists -- can get together.

These men do not believe the whirlwindish ADA will back Lyndon Johnson even if Sen. McCarthy finally does, in a dramatic gesture at the August Democratic national convention. These labor leaders believe that the ADA simply will go neutral or for a respectable peace candidate even if McCarthy stays on as a loyal party member.

They believe that the prime ADA objective is the defeat of Lyndon Johnson -- even if the opposition is Richard Nixon, Ronald Reagan, or George Romney.

Of course, say some of these labor leaders, there is always the danger of Gov. Nelson Rockefeller. High in the political sky, "Rocky" is beginning to look more like a dove than a hawk these days, they add. So, should the Republican nomination go to Nelson Rockefeller, there always is a good chance that the ADA may hop aboard his bandwagon.

Gov. Rockefeller's man was working the council ranks -- and other powerful labor chiefs -- during the Roche visit. Mr. Rockefeller's agent had many of them to lunch or dinner reminding them in great detail of the governor's pro-labor attitude during the garbage crisis.

And such influential men as the construction trades union leader Peter Brennan (who some day will lead the national combination of 18 building unions) listened for hours.

So the Stulbergs, the Abels, the Beirnes and, of course, the President's intellectual emissary are quite eager to launch a countervailing liberal - labor coalition against the ADA and other "defectors."

This would give such leaders as Walter Reuther and the Teachers Federation president, Charles Cogen, somehwere to go when ADA backs a pacifist or a Rockefeller (if he "doves-out," said one labor man).

Reuther, Cogen and some seven others, such as Reuther's brother, Victor, and the AFL-CIO's Industrial Union Dept.'s Jack Conway, remained in ADA.

There is far more here than the desire to neutralize the pro-McCarthy move by ADA. There is the logical feeling that without such a labor-liberal - intellectual pro-Johnson coalition, the President just cannot carry New York State, and without that, he cannot carry the nation.

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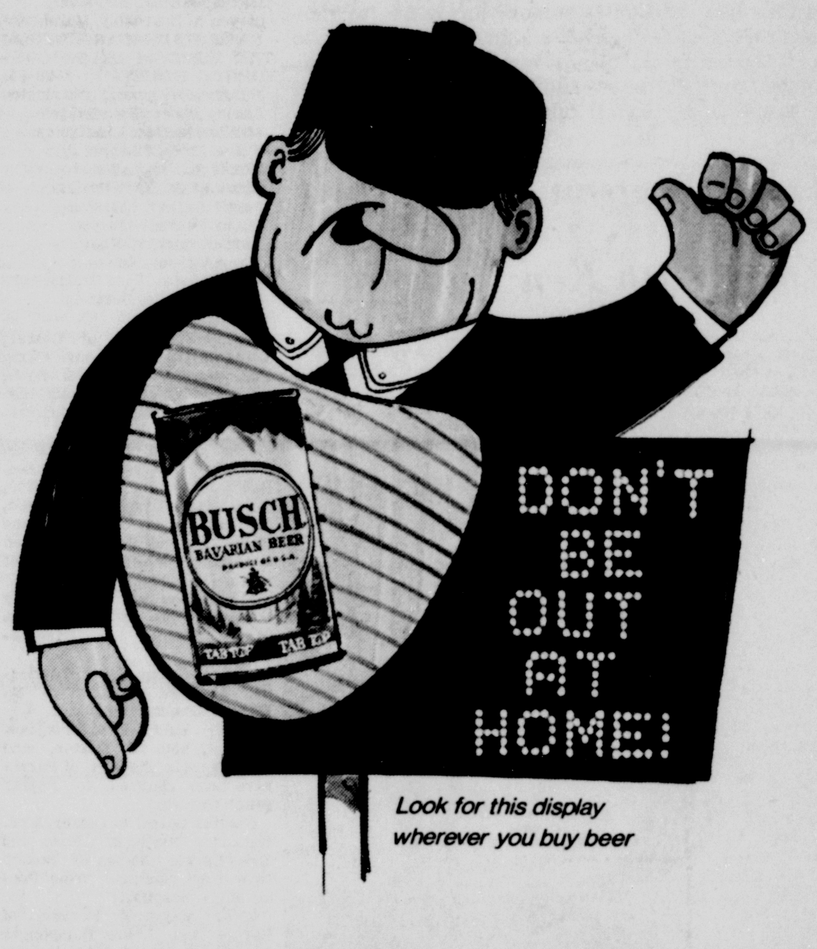
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Magicians Streak Ended At 823 Games

TROY -- The Harlem Magicians, a professional basketball team claiming a winning streak of 823 games, watched the streak disappear Sunday as they were beaten by the Troy Camaros, 90-88.

The Magicians, led by master-dribbler Marquis Haynes, had not lost a game in five years.

Leon Simon, who scored 30 points in the game, won it for the Camaros, an Eastern independent team, by sinking two free throws with just three seconds left.

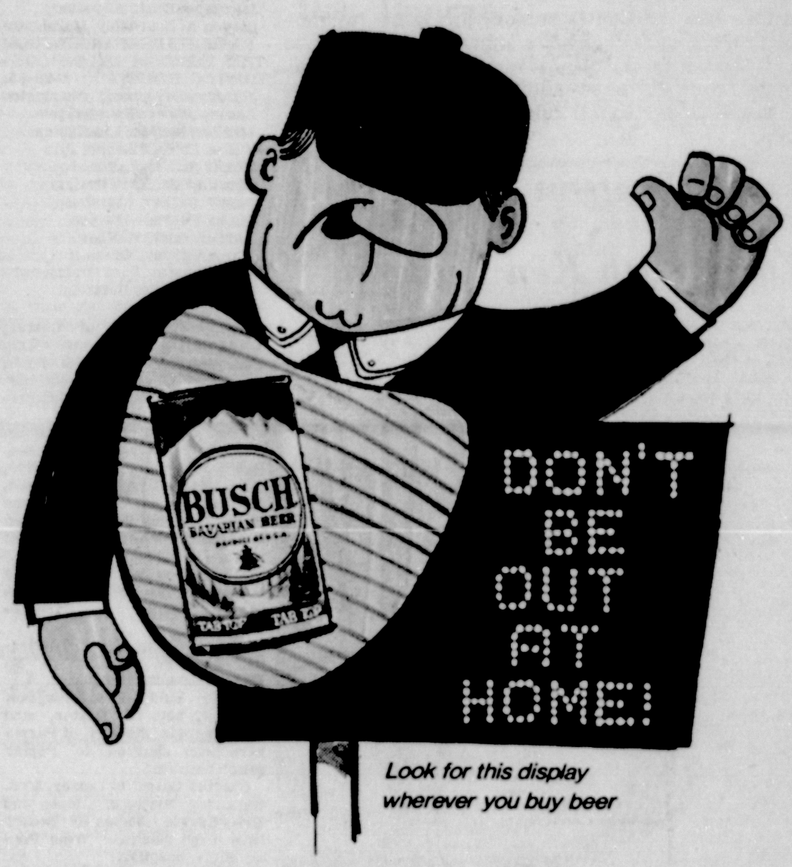
Haynes, a former Langston University star, controlled the ball for more than four minutes at one point when the game was tied.

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Drew Pearson Special

ANDERSON REVEALED REAL TONKIN FACTS THREE YEARS AGO

Sen. William Fulbright, D-Ark., and others who now state they would not have passed the Gulf of Tonkin resolution giving Johnson a blank check for the Vietnam war cannot entirely plead ignorance.

For, although the administration deliberately concealed the facts, an amazing revelation of what really happened in the Gulf of Tonkin when the destroyers Maddox and Turner Joy were attacked by the North Vietnamese was published Aug. 16, 1964, by Jack Anderson. The senators, if they had dug below the surface, doubtless would have found the same facts. Anderson revealed in considerable detail what Secretary of Defense McNamara, three years later, gave the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. And he added this comment: "The White House is no place for a trigger-happy President."

The PT boat raids on the USS Maddox took place Aug. 4,1964, and two days later, Aug. 6, Secretary McNamara, told the foreign relations committee that neither the Maddox nor the Joy was involved in South Vietnamese raiding operations against North Vietnam.

"Our navy," McNamara said, "played absolutely no part in, was not associated with, was not aware of, any South Vietnamese actions, if there were any. I want to make that very clear to you. The Maddox... as I know today, has no knowledge of any South Vietnamese actions in connection with the two islands (of North Vietnam)."

On Aug. 16, however, just ten days later, Anderson reported that "a raid was being conducted by the South Vietnamese against a North Vietnam island in the Gulf." He also reported, "careful reading of the intelligence reports convinces diplomats and naval authorities that the North Vietnamese associated the destroyer Maddox with the earlier commando attack on Hon Me (the island in question). They believe the PT boats were sent to sink the destroyer in retaliation."

Anderson also reported--three years ago -- that the Maddox was "on an electronic observation tour." This was confessed to the senate by McNamara only this month.

Yet a senate blank check resolution endorsing the Vietnam war was voted on the basis of misinformation supplied the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Aug. 6.

Regarding this blank check, Sen. Fulbright said last week: "I feel a very deep responsibility. And I regret more than anything I have ever done in my life that I was the vehicle that took the resolution to the floor and defended it."

Jack Anderson's column of Aug. 16, 1964, follows:

"JACK ANDERSON SAYS: White House is no place for trigger-happy president; Vietnamese crisis resulted from U.S. failing to inform U.S. navy of guerrilla raid; USS Maddox intercepted communist messages.

"Now that all the facts are in regarding the recent Vietnamese crisis, diplomats are drawing one very definite conclusion: The White House is no place for a trigger-happy President.

"There is even some quiet discussion among our NATO allies that the Johnson administration was premature in retaliating so quickly against North Vietnam.

"The following important points are now admitted unofficially but quiet definitely:

"1. U.S. authorities in Saigon failed to notify the U.S. navy that a raid was being conducted by the South Vietnamese against a North Vietnamese island in the Gulf.

"2. The U.S. destroyer Maddox, which got involved because of this notification failure, was on an electronic observation tour.

"3. The Maddox intercepted communist messages, and therefore had a two-hour warning before the three North Vietnamese PT boats attacked.

"Pieced together from naval intelligence reports, here is the inside story of what happened:

"On August 1, the South Vietnamese navy landed a raiding party on the island of Hon Me about 10 miles off the coast of North Vietnam. American advisers in Saigon were given advance notice of the attack but neglected to inform the U.S. Seventh Fleet, which policies these waters.

ELECTRONIC INTELLIGENCE

"The destroyer Maddox, meanwhile, had entered Tonkin Gulf on a routine elint mission. This is the abbreviation for 'electronic intelligence' and means that the Maddox carried supersensitive electronic gear which could scout the North Vietnamese coast from outside the international boundary...

"Very casually, the Maddox sailed past Hon Me Island, unaware that it had been hit by dynamite - carrying South Vietnamese commandos.

"The destroyer was about 10 miles away from the island. But its electronic equipment easily spotted a concentration of North Vietnamese junks and PT boats scurrying around Hon Me like ants whose anthill has just been stepped on. The Maddox crew ignored the flurry until the radio room intercepted an order from the communist navy for three torpedo boats to attack.

"The Maddox skipper, commander Herbert Ogier, sounded general quarters. For two hours, the crew waited at their battle stations while they tracked the approaching Soviet-made PT boats on the destroyer's radar screen.

RED CHINESE WERE IGNORANT

"Commander Ogier kept the destroyer's stern turned toward the approaching boats in order to present as slim a target as possible for the deadly torpedos. When the boats came within range, the Maddox fired three warning shots, then banged away at the speedy little hornets as they continued to bore in. Ogier easily maneuvered out of the path of the launched torpedoes, sank one boat with a direct hit.

"He also kept in constant touch with the U.S. carrier Ticonderoga, whose fighters chased and stafed the two surviving boats.

"A careful reading of the intelligence reports convinces diplomats and naval authorities hat the North Vietnamese associated the destroyer Maddox with the earlier commando attack on Hon Me. They believe the PT boats were sent to sink the destroyer in retaliation. ..

"The state department is now convinced that Red China had nothing to do with provoking the attack, and the whole incident could have been avoided if U.S. authorities in Saigon had taken the trouble to notify the U.S. navy of the guerrilla raid on Hon Me."

RAY CROMLEY



North Korea Uses Pueblo To Ridicule U.S. in Asia

By RAY CROMLEY
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)

It is now becoming clear what North Korea's capture of the USS Pueblo means in Asian eyes and what effects the capture was expected to have in Korea, Vietnam, Thailand, Burma, Cambodia and Laos.

To understand just what the North Koreans intended, it is necessary to tell the story of a recent incident in South Vietnam.

A friend we shall call Alexander, adviser to a Vietnamese provincial governor, discovered that one of the province's district chiefs was particularly corrupt.

On every visit to the provincial capital, Alexander brought in new evidence of the ways in which this particular district leader was using his office to milk the people for his own ends.

Each time the subject was brought up, the governor would shrug his shoulders and say nothing could be done. The man, it seems, had powerful friends.

Then one day Alexander, on one of his trips through the province, by accident saw the corrupt district chief being chased down the street of his village by his irate wife. She had found him dallying with other women. My friend thought this was humorous, but gave it little more thought. The next time he was in to see the governor, however, he did mention in passing what he had seen. He expected a few guffaws, nothing more.

To Alexander's surprise, the governor, on hearing the story, jumped up, his face red, his fists clenched and shouted "That man has got to go!" And go he did.

The explanation was simple. The man could not control his wife. Thereby he lost face. He had become ridiculous in the eyes of the people of his district. He could therefore no longer command their respect. He was through.

Like this district chief, U.S. power was made to appear a little ridiculous in Asian eyes when a very small country such as North Korea hijacked an American Navy ship off the high seas with no shots fired in defense.

In Asian custom, there is something particularly degrading about a hijacking. When a group wants to particularly ridicule the government in the eyes of the people, they kidnap a high official. Afterward, he never again commands quite the same respect, even if he returns alive, unless he has escaped by outwitting his captors.

According to reports, the North Koreans are attempting to add to the ridiculous position in which we now find ourselves by suggesting they might be willing to return the Pueblo and its crew if Washington will make an apology, pay a fine and induce the South Koreans to return North Korean agents captured in the south.

It is clear the United States could not afford to accept these conditions. In the interests of future peace in Asia it is essential that the United States find some way to recover from this situation with dignity.

About Our Schools

By Lynn Twitty

We hope that those who are interested in better education for our youngsters will express themselves at the election next Tuesday. This election, of course, is to decide whether or not the Board of Education will offer a kindergarten program for the coming school year. It will require only a 15¢ levy. The state, for the first time, is now providing funds for kindergarten education and that amount will cover about half the cost, otherwise a much higher levy than the 15¢ would be required.

The value of kindergarten is established by all who have had experience with this pre first grade program. Polling places will be opened in all of the schools and the Miner City Hall. Eligible voters do not have to be registered in order to vote in a school election. The polls will be opened from 6:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

If established, the kindergarten will be opened to all children whose fifth birthday is on or before 15 September 1968.

A public kindergarten operated under State Department of Education supervision, with certified teachers, prescribes a definite course of studies which includes: readiness in visual perception (seeing likenesses or differences in objects or characters); readiness in auditory perception (hearing the sounds that are contained in words, etc.); readiness concepts which concern size, shape, and color; readiness in learning to follow simple one, two, and three-step directions; learning to work, share, and produce in large group situations; readiness in learning left to right eye movement; readiness in physical activities which will aid in muscular development and coordination; readiness in music, art and crafts with emphasis on individual creativeness. So it is not a "babysitting" exercise.

We are indebted to the churches for the kindergartens which they have operated, some of which may still continue, as a community service. Several of these have indicated that they will now operate nursery schools for four year olds. We expect that Head Start will also enroll four year olds.

Two sessions will be held daily, half of the kindergartners attending three hours in the morning and the other half, three hours in the afternoon. They will be transported. They will receive a mid-morning and mid-afternoon snack or lunch, milk and cookies for example. Attendance is optional.

Whether or not our program is approved by the voters, as we hope that it will be, we will still be helping to support kindergartens elsewhere through the state taxes that we pay. Most will agree that our youngsters should be given the same chance and we hope that all who have the welfare of our children in mind, will so express it Tuesday.

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One of our fine teachers, who has taught in a number of other very excellent schools, is one of the strongest supporters for a kindergarten program. She sites her experience in teaching lower grade youngsters and says that there is no doubt in her mind but that a good kindergarten puts a kindergarten - trained first grader at least six months to a year ahead of the child who enters first grade without having had kindergarten training. This, we think, is "proof of the pudding" from one who has had the actual experience.

Her opinion, of course, is backed by similar experience of other people who are knowledgeable about kindergartens.

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In order to provide a better educational program for next year's Middle School, which will include sixth, seventh and eighth grades, an in-service training workshop for Middle School teachers, is being planned by Bob Miller, Harold Kiehne, the principals and teachers. If approved, it will require the use of some federal funds available under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. It will probably take the form of a two week session to be held in June. Emphasis will be upon an improved reading program for all Middle School children. In addition, an extra dose of reading will be given to those students who have more than the usual difficulty with this subject. It is an established fact that no student can progress satisfactorily in any subject unless he can read at a normal rate. Other topics relating to an improved program will also be included in the workshop. Probably 30 teachers will participate in the workshop, if established.

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The annual joint meeting of the SEMO School Board Association and the SEMO School Administrators will be held at the High School Student Center, Thursday, March 28th, beginning at 6:30 P.M. Usually about 400 board members, school administrators and guests attend this event, one of the largest school meetings held in the state.

Representative James Spainhower, of Saline County and chairman of the House Education Committee, will be the speaker. Representative Spainhower is also chairman of the Missouri State School District Reorganization Commission.

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School will be dismissed Thursday and Friday, March 14th and 15th, in order that all faculty members may attend the annual SEMO Teachers Meeting which will be held at State College, Cape Girardeau. Among the featured speakers will be: Dr. Charles J. McClain, president, Jefferson College, Hillsboro, Missouri; Ralph E. Chalender, principal, Milburn Junior High School, Shawnee Mission, Kansas; Marilyn Van Derbur, former Miss America and Phi Beta Kappa and Harold Pluimer, Director of the Aerospace Education Department of the Air Force.

Especially important to faculty members are the departmental and grade level sessions which are featured on Friday.

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The unusual session of extreme weather has seriously hampered our building program, as we are sure that it has also slowed down many other activities. When it clears, extra effort on the part of the builders will be required to meet their construction deadlines.

Clark Gable Still Box Office Star

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Seven years after his death, Clark Gable continues to be a box-office star.

If you have any doubts, just consult the latest grosses for "Gone with the Wind," which is earning more money than during its first release in 1939. A whole new generation is discovering the masculine charm of the man who was king of the movie world for a quarter-century.

On March 5 NBC will observe the growing Gable cult with a special called "Dear Mr. Gable." The title is from the love letter Judy Garland wailed to her favorite star when she was an adoring teen-ager. The man who produced and wrote the special is documentary expert Nicolas Noxon, 31, who was unborn when Gable became a top star by winning the Oscar for "It Happened One Night."

Noxon, maker of such Wolper productions as "Biography," "Hollywood and the Stars" and "Men in Crisis," created "Dear Mr. Gable" for MGM's new documentary department.

"For five months I have lived with Clark Gable; I've even had him in my dreams," said the scholarly-looking Noxon. "I found him to be a simple, straightforward guy, and that is the same treatment I tried to give to the documentary about him.

"There is nothing bad you could say about him. He seems to have been a totally likeable person. Each time he played a role, he was enacting essentially the same character, and that character came very close to being Gable himself.

"People enjoyed seeing that character over and over again, and he became a part of everyone's life. He was a piece of folklore, like Dick Tracy. My main purpose in the documentary was to try to determine why so many disparate people liked him so much."

Noxon had access to the MGM films with Gable, and he viewed them all. The special includes full scenes from 10 of the features, plus 40 brief shots. For the first time on television two scenes from "Gone with the Wind" will be shown— the encounter between Rhett Butler and Scarlet O'Hara at the Atlanta charity bazaar, and the angry exchange late in their marriage.

The MGM crew also made extensive interviews with those who knew Gable in his lifetime, and some will be on the show— Greer Garson, Joan Blondell, Frank Capra, two childhood friends, and a former fiancee from Portland, Ore.

"We also uncovered footage never seen before— of the Carole Lombard plane crash and Gable posing with B17s in England during the war," said Noxon. "And we have a few home movies from people who went hunting with Gable. But he was not the kind of actor who liked to pose offstage; he kept pretty much to himself.

First Olympic Gold Medal Won By Violinist

KANSAS CITY (AP)— A sometime mountain climber and avid golfer showed up in Kansas City Monday carrying the first gold medal from the 1968 Olympic Games in Mexico City.

But Henryk Szeryng (pronounced Sharing; won his medal for playing the violin, not running, jumping or throwing things.

The stocky, dark-haired musician displayed the gold medal he received Sunday in Mexico City after performing in the first of a series of concerts dedicated to the Olympic World Festival.

Szeryng, 47, received the award for promoting good will among nations and advancing the cause of Mexican music abroad.

The Polish-born violinist, here to perform with the Kansas City Philharmonic, added the gold medal to his collection of government decorations which include recently the Order of the Lion from Finland and the Order of Arts and Letters from France.

Szeryng, who can be charming in seven languages, became a Mexican citizen in 1946 and taught at the National University of Mexico before pianist Artur Rubinstein launched him on a concert career in 1954.

He travels with a diplomatic passport and holds the title of Mexico's official cultural ambassador.

"We in Mexico are very concerned about the Olympic Games," the violinist explained. "Along with music and art, sports should have no boundaries."

Szeryng confessed he is no athlete, but he said he does do some climbing and golfing whenever he gets the chance.

"Golf actually is wonderful for a concert violinist," he said. "It requires flexibility of the wrist and great concentration — the same things you need on the concert stage. The discipline is quite similar."

The bachelor musician, who has played with the world's greatest orchestras, said he rates the Kansas City Philharmonic "capable of withstanding any competition."

"They aren't well known yet in Europe," he admitted, "but your orchestra is a thoroughly serious and professional group in my opinin."

About that golf game, Szeryng was asked how well he plays.

"Oh, well," he shrugged, "you can't have everything."

18 Join Club At New Madrid

NEW MADRID - The Beta club of the high school has received 18 new members.

To be eligible for the club, a student must have a scholastic average of S for two successive semesters, beginning with the second freshman semester.

Dues have been paid and pins ordered for Eddie Harris, Ann Hart, Frances Boulton, Patty Dyke, Ellen Champion, Gail Jackson, Kathy Parrish, Mary Linda King, Ralph Horton, Mary Ann Lewis, Linda Nowell, Jane Dawson, Joe Davis, Calude Harris, Jane Ann Sides, Theresa Smith, Frances Jones and Kay Porter.

This is the largest group the club has received at one time. The total membership, including the new members, is 30.

Mike Dawson is president and Denise Gamel is secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Charles Johnstone is sponsor of the club.

Viet Reds Clash With Laotians

VIENTIANE, Laos (AP) — North Vietnamese elements clashed with the royal army forces five miles north of Attopeu in southeastern Laos today.

No report of casualties reached Vientiane but military sources termed the action as minor.

North Vietnamese troops reinforced by Communist units from the Saravane front also clashed with government forces two miles southwest of the town of Lao Ngam, northwest of Attopeu.

Reinforcements were reported trucked down Highway 23 through a bypass around the provincial capital town of Saravane.

In Saravane, the situation was static with Communist probing actions six miles northwest of the town.

Pathet Lao elements attacked a police station north of the royal capital of Luang Prabang. Two policemen were reported killed and the chief of the district of Paksou 25 miles north of Luang Prabang was reported wounded during the action.

Mrs. Gruen Hostess To Community Club

CANALOU -- The Canalou Community club met with Mrs. Nelson Gruen.

The lesson was "Be a Smart Shopper."

Mrs. Dale Geske, president, presided. Mrs. David Croom gave the secretary's report. A thank you note from the Paul McColluch family was read.

The next meeting will be March 20 with Mrs. R. L. Abernathy.

St. Francis Xavier P-TA Has Supper

The St. Francis Xavier school Parent-Teacher Association met Feb. 20 at 6 p.m. The meeting began at a Mass and a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. Thirty eight parents and two guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sellars, attended.

The Rev. Fr. Robert Schumacher explained the need of a school board. A committee, Dr. Joe Blanton, Raymond Leible, Ray Hart, Sellars and Charlie Waters, chairman; was asked to meet and give a report at the next meeting about the procedue of electing a school board from the parish.

Mrs. Marie Nunnelee announced all members of the parish belonging to the Girl Scouts will attend Mass together at 8:30 a.m. March 10 in observance of Girl Scout Week.

Room county was won by the fifth and sixth grade room.

Hostesses were Mrs. Raymond Leible, Mrs. Bob Blankenship, Mrs. William Yarnell, Mrs. Gus Richard and Mrs. William Hampton.

Hostesses for the March meeting will be Mrs. Shirley Manker, Mrs. Ruth Scherer and Mrs. Mary Horton.

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Drew Pearson Special

ANDERSON REVEALED REAL TONKIN FACTS THREE YEARS AGO

Sen. William Fulbright, D-Ark., and others who now state they would not have passed the Gulf of Tonkin resolution giving Johnson a blank check for the Vietnam war cannot entirely plead ignorance.

For, although the administration deliberately concealed the facts, an amazing revelation of what really happened in the Gulf of Tonkin when the destroyers Maddox and Turner Joy were attacked by the North Vietnamese was published Aug. 16, 1964, by Jack Anderson. The senators, if they had dug below the surface, doubtless would have found the same facts. Anderson revealed in considerable detail what Secretary of Defense McNamara, three years later, gave the Senate Foreign Relations Committee. And he added this comment: "The White House is no place for a trigger-happy President."

The PT boat raids on the USS Maddox took place Aug. 4,1964, and two days later, Aug. 6, Secretary McNamara, told the foreign relations committee that neither the Maddox nor the Joy was involved in South Vietnamese raiding operations against North Vietnam.

"Our navy," McNamara said, "played absolutely no part in, was not associated with, was not aware of, any South Vietnamese actions, if there were any. I want to make that very clear to you. The Maddox... as I know today, has no knowledge of any South Vietnamese actions in connection with the two islands (of North Vietnam)."

On Aug. 16, however, just ten days later, Anderson reported that "a raid was being conducted by the South Vietnamese against a North Vietnam island in the Gulf." He also reported, "careful reading of the intelligence reports convinces diplomats and naval authorities that the North Vietnamese associated the destroyer Maddox with the earlier commando attack on Hon Me (the island in question). They believe the PT boats were sent to sink the destroyer in retaliation."

Anderson also reported three years ago -- that the Maddox was "on an electronic observation tour." This was confessed to the senate by McNamara only this month.

Yet a senate blank check resolution endorsing the Vietnam war was voted on the basis of misinformation supplied the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, Aug. 6.

Regarding this blank check, Sen. Fulbright said last week: "I feel a very deep responsibility. And I regret more than anything I have ever done in my life that I was the vehicle that took the resolution to the floor and defended it."

Jack Anderson's column of Aug. 16, 1964, follows:

"JACK ANDERSON SAYS: White House is no place for trigger-happy president; Vietnamese crisis resulted from U.S. failing to inform U.S. navy of guerrilla raid; USS Maddox intercepted communist messages.

"Now that all the facts are in regarding the recent Vietnamese crisis, diplomats are drawing one very definite conclusion: The White House is no place for a trigger-happy President.

"There is even some quiet discussion among our NATO allies that the Johnson administration was premature in retaliating so quickly against North Vietnam.

"The following important points are now admitted unofficially but quiet definitely:

"1. U.S. authorities in Saigon failed to notify the U.S. navy that a raid was being conducted by the South Vietnamese against a North Vietnamese island in the Gulf.

"2. The U.S. destroyer Maddox, which got involved because of this notification failure, was on an electronic observation tour.

"3. The Maddox intercepted communist messages, and therefore had a two-hour warning before the three North Vietnamese PT boats attacked.

"Pieced together from naval intelligence reports, here is the inside story of what happened:

"On August 1, the South Vietnamese navy landed a raiding party on the island of Hon Me about 10 miles off the coast of North Vietnam. American advisers in Saigon were given advance notice of the attack but neglected to inform the U.S. Seventh Fleet, which policies these waters.

ELECTRONIC INTELLIGENCE

"The destroyer Maddox, meanwhile, had entered Tonkin Gulf on a routine elint mission. This is the abbreviation for 'electronic intelligence' and means that the Maddox carried supersensitive electronic gear which could scout the North Vietnamese coast from outside the international boundary...

"Very casually, the Maddox sailed past Hon Me Island, unaware that it had been hit by dynamite - carrying South Vietnamese commandos.

"The destroyer was about 10 miles away from the island. But its electronic equipment easily spotted a concentration of North Vietnamese junks and PT boats scurrying around Hon Me like ants whose anthill has just been stepped on. The Maddox crew ignored the flurry until the radio room intercepted an order from the communist navy for three torpedo boats to attack.

"The Maddox skipper, commander Herbert Ogier, sounded general quarters. For two hours, the crew waited at their battle stations while they tracked the approaching Soviet-made PT boats on the destroyer's radar screen.

RED CHINESE WERE IGNORANT

"Commander Ogier kept the destroyer's stern turned toward the approaching boats in order to present as slim a target as possible for the deadly torpedos. When the boats came within range, the Maddox fired three warning shots, then banged away at the speedy little hornets as they continued to bore in. Ogier easily maneuvered out of the path of the launched torpedoes, sank one boat with a direct hit.

"He also kept in constant touch with the U.S. carrier Ticonderoga, whose fighters chased and stafed the two surviving boats.

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"The state department is now convinced that Red China had nothing to do with provoking the attack, and the whole incident could have been avoided if U.S. authorities in Saigon had taken the trouble to notify the U.S. navy of the guerrilla raid on Hon Me."

RAY CROMLEY



North Korea Uses Pueblo To Ridicule U.S. in Asia

By RAY CROMLEY
NEA Washington Correspondent

WASHINGTON (NEA)

It is now becoming clear what North Korea's capture of the USS Pueblo means in Asian eyes and what effects the capture was expected to have in Korea, Vietnam, Thailand, Burma, Cambodia and Laos.

To understand just what the North Koreans intended, it is necessary to tell the story of a recent incident in South Vietnam.

A friend we shall call Alexander, adviser to a Vietnamese provincial governor, discovered that one of the province's district chiefs was particularly corrupt.

On every visit to the provincial capital, Alexander brought in new evidence of the ways in which this particular district leader was using his office to milk the people for his own ends.

Each time the subject was brought up, the governor would shrug his shoulders and say nothing could be done. The man, it seems, had powerful friends.

Then one day Alexander, on one of his trips through the province, by accident saw the corrupt district chief being chased down the street of his village by his irate wife. She had found him dallying with other women. My friend thought this was humorous, but gave it little more thought. The next time he was in to see the governor, however, he did mention in passing what he had seen. He expected a few guffaws, nothing more.

To Alexander's surprise, the governor, on hearing the story, jumped up, his face red, his fists clenched and shouted "That man has got to go!" And go he did.

The explanation was simple. The man could not control his wife. Thereby he lost face. He had become ridiculous in the eyes of the people of his district. He could therefore no longer command their respect. He was through.

Like this district chief, U.S. power was made to appear a little ridiculous in Asian eyes when a very small country such as North Korea hijacked an American Navy ship off the high seas with no shots fired in defense.

In Asian custom, there is something particularly degrading about a hijacking. When a group wants to particularly ridicule the government in the eyes of the people, they kidnap a high official. Afterward, he never again commands quite the same respect, even if he returns alive, unless he has escaped by outwitting his captors.

According to reports, the North Koreans are attempting to add to the ridiculous position in which we now find ourselves by suggesting they might be willing to return the Pueblo and its crew if Washington will make an apology, pay a fine and induce the South Koreans to return North Korean agents captured in the south.

It is clear the United States could not afford to accept these conditions. In the interests of future peace in Asia it is essential that the United States find some way to recover from this situation with dignity.

About Our Schools

By Lynn Twitty

We hope that those who are interested in better education for our youngsters will express themselves at the election next Tuesday. This election, of course, is to decide whether or not the Board of Education will offer a kindergarten program for the coming school year. It will require only a 15¢ levy. The state, for the first time, is now providing funds for kindergarten education and that amount will cover about half the cost, otherwise a much higher levy than the 15¢ would be required.

The value of kindergarten is established by all who have had experience with this pre first grade program. Polling places will be opened in all of the schools and the Miner City Hall. Eligible voters do not have to be registered in order to vote in a school election. The polls will be opened from 6:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.

If established, the kindergarten will be opened to all children whose fifth birthday is on or before 15 September 1968.

A public kindergarten operated under State Department of Education supervision, with certified teachers, prescribes a definite course of studies which includes: readiness in visual perception (seeing likenesses or differences in objects or characters); readiness in auditory perception (hearing the sounds that are contained in words, etc.); readiness concepts which concern size, shape, and color; readiness in learning to follow simple one, two, and three-step directions; learning to work, share, and produce in large group situations; readiness in learning left to right eye movement; readiness in physical activities which will aid in muscular development and coordination; readiness in music, art and crafts with emphasis on individual creativeness. So it is not a "babysitting" exercise.

We are indebted to the churches for the kindergartens which they have operated, some of which may still continue, as a community service. Several of these have indicated that they will now operate nursery schools for four year olds. We expect that Head Start will also enroll four year olds.

Two sessions will be held daily, half of the kindergartners attending three hours in the morning and the other half, three hours in the afternoon. They will be transported. They will receive a mid-morning and mid-afternoon snack or lunch, milk and cookies for example. Attendance is optional.

Whether or not our program is approved by the voters, as we hope that it will be, we will still be helping to support kindergartens elsewhere through the state taxes that we pay. Most will agree that our youngsters should be given the same chance and we hope that all who have the welfare of our children in mind, will so express it Tuesday.

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One of our fine teachers, who has taught in a number of other very excellent schools, is one of the strongest supporters for a kindergarten program. She sites her experience in teaching lower grade youngsters and says that there is no doubt in her mind but that a good kindergarten puts a kindergarten - trained first grader at least six months to a year ahead of the child who enters first grade without having had kindergarten training. This, we think, is "proof of the pudding" from one who has had the actual experience.

Her opinion, of course, is backed by similar experience of other people who are knowledgeable about kindergartens.

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In order to provide a better educational program for next year's Middle School, which will include sixth, seventh and eighth grades, an in-service training workshop for Middle School teachers, is being planned by Bob Miller, Harold Kiehne, the principals and teachers. If approved, it will require the use of some federal funds available under the Elementary and Secondary Education Act. It will probably take the form of a two week session to be held in June. Emphasis will be upon an improved reading program for all Middle School children. In addition, an extra dose of reading will be given to those students who have more than the usual difficulty with this subject. It is an established fact that no student can progress satisfactorily in any subject unless he can read at a normal rate. Other topics relating to an improved program will also be included in the workshop. Probably 30 teachers will participate in the workshop, if established.

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The annual joint meeting of the SEMO School Board Association and the SEMO School Administrators will be held at the High School Student Center, Thursday, March 28th, beginning at 6:30 P.M. Usually about 400 board members, school administrators and guests attend this event, one of the largest school meetings held in the state.

Representative James Spainhower, of Saline County and chairman of the House Education Committee, will be the speaker. Representative Spainhower is also chairman of the Missouri State School District Reorganization Commission.

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School will be dismissed Thursday and Friday, March 14th and 15th, in order that all faculty members may attend the annual SEMO Teachers Meeting which will be held at State College, Cape Girardeau. Among the featured speakers will be: Dr. Charles J. McClain, president, Jefferson College, Hillsboro, Missouri; Ralph E. Chalender, principal, Milburn Junior High School, Shawnee Mission, Kansas; Marilyn Van Derbur, former Miss America and Phi Beta Kappa and Harold Pluimer, Director of the Aerospace Education Department of the Air Force.

Especially important to faculty members are the departmental and grade level sessions which are featured on Friday.

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The unusual session of extreme weather has seriously hampered our building program, as we are sure that it has also slowed down many other activities. When it clears, extra effort on the part of the builders will be required to meet their construction deadlines.

Clark Gable Still Box Office Star

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — Seven years after his death, Clark Gable continues to be a box-office star.

If you have any doubts, just consult the latest grosses for "Gone with the Wind," which is earning more money than during its first release in 1939. A whole new generation is discovering the masculine charm of the man who was king of the movie world for a quarter-century.

On March 5 NBC will observe the growing Gable cult with a special called "Dear Mr. Gable." The title is from the love letter Judy Garland wailed to her favorite star when she was an adoring teen-ager. The man who produced and wrote the special is documentary expert Nicolas Noxon, 31, who was unborn when Gable became a top star by winning the Oscar for "It Happened One Night."

Noxon, maker of such Wolper productions as "Biography," "Hollywood and the Stars" and "Men in Crisis," created "Dear Mr. Gable" for MGM's new documentary department.

"For five months I have lived with Clark Gable; I've even had him in my dreams," said the scholarly-looking Noxon. "I found him to be a simple, straightforward guy, and that is the same treatment I tried to give to the documentary about him.

"There is nothing bad you could say about him. He seems to have been a totally likeable person. Each time he played a role, he was enacting essentially the same character, and that character came very close to being Gable himself.

"People enjoyed seeing that character over and over again, and he became a part of everyone's life. He was a piece of folklore, like Dick Tracy. My main purpose in the documentary was to try to determine why so many disparate people liked him so much."

Noxon had access to the MGM films with Gable, and he viewed them all. The special includes full scenes from 10 of the features, plus 40 brief shots. For the first time on television two scenes from "Gone with the Wind" will be shown— the encounter between Rhett Butler and Scarlet O'Hara at the Atlanta charity bazaar, and the angry exchange late in their marriage.

The MGM crew also made extensive interviews with those who knew Gable in his lifetime, and some will be on the show— Greer Garson, Joan Blondell, Frank Capra, two childhood friends, and a former fiancee from Portland, Ore.

"We also uncovered footage never seen before— of the Carole Lombard plane crash and Gable posing with B17s in England during the war," said Noxon. "And we have a few home movies from people who went hunting with Gable. But he was not the kind of actor who liked to pose offstage; he kept pretty much to himself.

First Olympic Gold Medal Won By Violinist

KANSAS CITY (AP)— A sometime mountain climber and avid golfer showed up in Kansas City Monday carrying the first gold medal from the 1968 Olympic Games in Mexico City.

But Henryk Szeryng (pronounced Sharing; won his medal for playing the violin, not running, jumping or throwing things.

The stocky, dark-haired musician displayed the gold medal he received Sunday in Mexico City after performing in the first of a series of concerts dedicated to the Olympic World Festival.

Szeryng, 47, received the award for promoting good will among nations and advancing the cause of Mexican music abroad.

The Polish-born violinist, here to perform with the Kansas City Philharmonic, added the gold medal to his collection of government decorations which include recently the Order of the Lion from Finland and the Order of Arts and Letters from France.

Szeryng, who can be charming in seven languages, became a Mexican citizen in 1946 and taught at the National University of Mexico before pianist Artur Rubinstein launched him on a concert career in 1954.

He travels with a diplomatic passport and holds the title of Mexico's official cultural ambassador.

"We in Mexico are very concerned about the Olympic Games," the violinist explained. "Along with music and art, sports should have no boundaries."

Szeryng confessed he is no athlete, but he said he does do some climbing and golfing whenever he gets the chance.

"Golf actually is wonderful for a concert violinist," he said. "It requires flexibility of the wrist and great concentration — the same things you need on the concert stage. The discipline is quite similar."

The bachelor musician, who has played with the world's greatest orchestras, said he rates the Kansas City Philharmonic "capable of withstanding any competition."

"They aren't well known yet in Europe," he admitted, "but your orchestra is a thoroughly serious and professional group in my opinin."

About that golf game, Szeryng was asked how well he plays.

"Oh, well," he shrugged, "you can't have everything."

18 Join Club At New Madrid

NEW MADRID - The Beta club of the high school has received 18 new members.

To be eligible for the club, a student must have a scholastic average of S for two successive semesters, beginning with the second freshman semester.

Dues have been paid and pins ordered for Eddie Harris, Ann Hart, Frances Boulton, Patty Dyke, Ellen Champion, Gail Jackson, Kathy Parrish, Mary Linda King, Ralph Horton, Mary Ann Lewis, Linda Nowell, Jane Dawson, Joe Davis, Calude Harris, Jane Ann Sides, Theresa Smith, Frances Jones and Kay Porter.

This is the largest group the club has received at one time. The total membership, including the new members, is 30.

Mike Dawson is president and Denise Gamel is secretary-treasurer. Mrs. Charles Johnstone is sponsor of the club.

Viet Reds Clash With Laotians

VIENTIANE, Laos (AP) — North Vietnamese elements clashed with the royal army forces five miles north of Attopeu in southeastern Laos today.

No report of casualties reached Vientiane but military sources termed the action as minor.

North Vietnamese troops reinforced by Communist units from the Saravane front also clashed with government forces two miles southwest of the town of Lao Ngam, northwest of Attopeu.

Reinforcements were reported trucked down Highway 23 through a bypass around the provincial capital town of Saravane.

In Saravane, the situation was static with Communist probing actions six miles northwest of the town.

Pathet Lao elements attacked a police station north of the royal capital of Luang Prabang. Two policemen were reported killed and the chief of the district of Paksou 25 miles north of Luang Prabang was reported wounded during the action.

Mrs. Gruen Hostess To Community Club

CANALOU -- The Canalou Community club met with Mrs. Nelson Gruen.

The lesson was "Be a Smart Shopper."

Mrs. Dale Geske, president, presided. Mrs. David Croom gave the secretary's report. A thank you note from the Paul McColluch family was read.

The next meeting will be March 20 with Mrs. R. L. Abernathy.

St. Francis Xavier P-TA Has Supper

The St. Francis Xavier school Parent-Teacher Association met Feb. 20 at 6 p.m. The meeting began at a Mass and a potluck supper at 6:30 p.m. Thirty eight parents and two guests, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Sellars, attended.

The Rev. Fr. Robert Schumacher explained the need of a school board. A committee, Dr. Joe Blanton, Raymond Leible, Ray Hart, Sellars and Charlie Waters, chairman; was asked to meet and give a report at the next meeting about the procedue of electing a school board from the parish.

Mrs. Marie Nunnelee announced all members of the parish belonging to the Girl Scouts will attend Mass together at 8:30 a.m. March 10 in observance of Girl Scout Week.

Room county was won by the fifth and sixth grade room.

Hostesses were Mrs. Raymond Leible, Mrs. Bob Blankenship, Mrs. William Yarnell, Mrs. Gus Richard and Mrs. William Hampton.

Hostesses for the March meeting will be Mrs. Shirley Manker, Mrs. Ruth Scherer and Mrs. Mary Horton.

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Guitarist Tires Of Playing Second Fiddle

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — To the outsider, the pop music field seems to offer ample opportunity to get rich in a hurry. Glen Campbell, a handsome six-footer from Delight, Ark., knows better.

For five years, Campbell played guitar for record artists like Frank Sinatra and Dean Martin and for movie scores such as "Cool Hand Luke" and "In the Heat of the Night." Meanwhile he tried to establish himself as a singer, but met with scant success. Finally last December he hit with a haunting lament, "By the Time I Get to Phoenix."

"That's when I made a New Year's resolution," he recalls. "I vowed to give up accompanying other singers and devote full time to my own career."

The resolve was fiscally more brave than it seems. Campbell was turning his back on a career that earned him a handsome $50,000 a year and was embarking on the chancey life of a pop singer.

"Believe me, I know how tough it can be," he remarked. "I've played for recording sessions of some of these teen-age sensations, and I've seen them come and go. Nothing can be less permanent than a singer who hits with one smash record. Where is Chubby Checker right now?"

Campbell's career seems to be on firmer ground. He has followed up the "Phoenix" hit by playing concert dates all over the country. His most promising opportunity will come this summer when he takes over as a host of the Smothers Brothers replacement show. Tommy Smothers, one of Glen's most enthusiastic supporters, will produce the show.

Campbell has the qualifications for success: a clear and expressive style that compensates for what he lacks in timbre; an ingratiating manner unspoiled by false humility; superb musicianship.

He started playing guitar back in Arkansas when he was 6, and by the time he was 8 he had his own radio show—"no pay, just cards and letters." The seventh son of a family that included eight sons and four daughters, Glen joined an uncle's band in Albuquerque as a teen-ager, then toured with his own outfit. After traveling 105,000 miles in a station wagon for 11 months, he decided to settle down in Hollywood. His skill with the guitar made him much in demand for record sessions.

Legend says that King Arthur's Round Table was so-fashioned that, having no head, it allowed him to sit among his knights as a man among equals.

Weather Review

	High	Low
Albany, cloudy	45	30
Albuquerque, cloudy	45	30
Atlanta, snow	44	32
Bismarck, clear	25	0
Boise, clear	58	38
Boston, cloudy	40	32
Buffalo, cloudy	33	15
Chicago, clear	33	15
Cincinnati, cloudy	40	23
Cleveland, cloudy	31	18
Denver, cloudy	40	30
Des Moines, clear	32	6
Detroit, snow	34	18
Fairbanks, cloudy	33	11
Fort Worth, clear	59	28
Helena, clear	58	27
Honolulu, clear	82	68
Indianapolis, snow	38	17
Jacksonville, cloudy	66	52
Juneau, clear	48	33
Kansas City, clear	43	13
Los Angeles, clear	73	53
Louisville, snow	38	27
Memphis, snow	43	30
Miami, cloudy	65	59
Milwaukee, cloudy	29	11
Mpls.-St.P., clear	27	4
New Orleans, clear	66	40
New York, fog	45	35
Okla. City, clear	51	20
Omaha, clear	33	6
Philadelphia, fog	51	29
Phoenix, clear	75	49
Pittsburgh, cloudy	35	23
Ptlnd, Me., cloudy	37	30
Ptlnd, Ore., clear	70	42
Rapid City, cloudy	33	15
Richmond, rain	56	36
St. Louis, cloudy	40	19
Salt Lk. City, clear	53	32
San Diego, cloudy	68	54
San Fran., cloudy	63	54
Seattle, clear	68	41
Tampa, cloudy	62	54
Washington, cloudy	51	36
Winnipeg, cloudy	0	-5

Gross Protests Farm Junket

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House has approved a congressional trip to Spain over a protest from Rep. H. R. Gross, R-Iowa, that such trips are unfair when ordinary citizens face a proposed travel tax.

"Until the President withdraws his request for this punitive tax, I'm going to oppose all such proposals," Gross told the House Wednesday. "We have no business approving any kind of resolution for a foreign junket until this issue is settled."

But the House voted 300 to 92 to send three Agriculture Committee members to a meeting in Madrid March 6-12 on sale of U.S. farm products abroad.

Scheduled to make the trips are Reps. Thomas G. Abernethy, D-Miss., Paul C. Jones, D-Mo., and George V. Hansen, R-Idaho, and staff aide L. T. Easley.

Won Marathon Race

When the first modern Olympic games were held in Athens, Greece, in 1896, the marathon race was fittingly won by a Greek athlete, Spyros Louis.



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For five years, Campbell played guitar for record artists like Frank Sinatra and Dean Martin and for movie scores such as "Cool Hand Luke" and "In the Heat of the Night." Meanwhile he tried to establish himself as a singer, but met with scant success. Finally last December he hit with a haunting lament, "By the Time I Get to Phoenix."

"That's when I made a New Year's resolution," he recalls. "I vowed to give up accompanying other singers and devote full time to my own career."

The resolve was fiscally more brave than it seems. Campbell was turning his back on a career that earned him a handsome $50,000 a year and was embarking on the chancey life of a pop singer.

"Believe me, I know how tough it can be," he remarked. "I've played for recording sessions of some of these teen-age sensations, and I've seen them come and go. Nothing can be less permanent than a singer who hits with one smash record. Where is Chubby Checker right now?"

Campbell's career seems to be on firmer ground. He has followed up the "Phoenix" hit by playing concert dates all over the country. His most promising opportunity will come this summer when he takes over as a host of the Smothers Brothers replacement show. Tommy Smothers, one of Glen's most enthusiastic supporters, will produce the show.

Campbell has the qualifications for success: a clear and expressive style that compensates for what he lacks in timbre; an ingratiating manner unspoiled by false humility; superb musicianship.

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Louisville, snow	38	27
Memphis, snow	43	30
Miami, cloudy	65	59
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Mpls.-St.P., clear	27	4
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Rapid City, cloudy	33	15
Richmond, rain	56	36
St. Louis, cloudy	40	19
Salt Lk. City, clear	53	32
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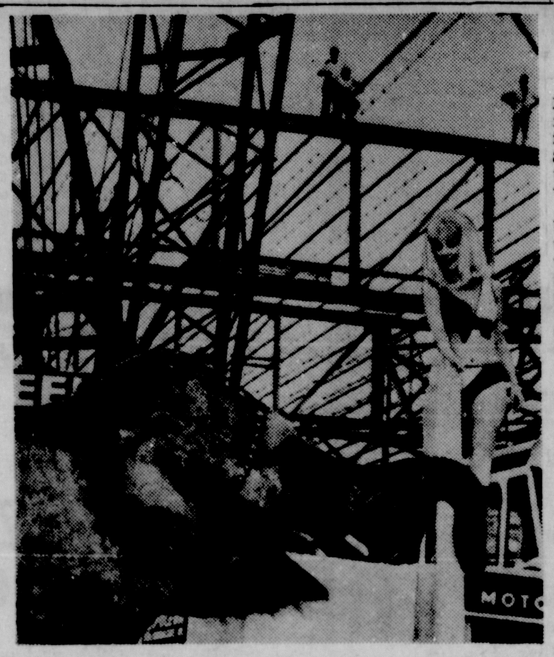
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Scheduled to make the trips are Reps. Thomas G. Abernethy, D-Miss., Paul C. Jones, D-Mo., and George V. Hansen, R-Idaho, and staff aide L. T. Easley.

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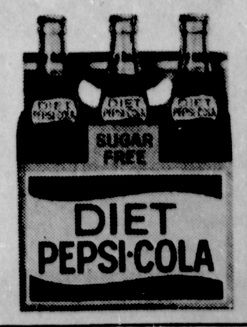
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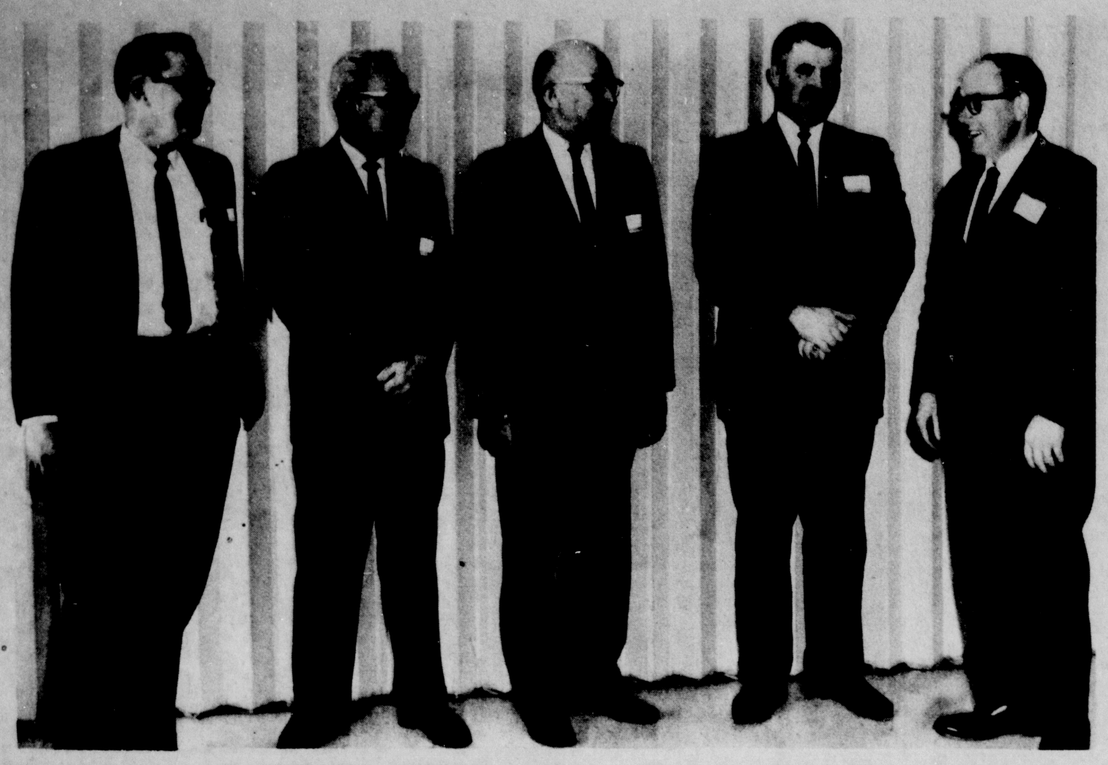


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Soil and Water Problems Discussed

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Other speakers were Gene Wheeler, Stoddard county chairman, Bell City, in charge of a panel discussing providing better service to landowners.

District supervisors met in small groups to make recommendations. Their suggestions will be combined with others from similar meetings over the state.

Ralph McGill, assistant state conservationist from Columbia, spoke on the benefits of soil districts program to each county's economy.

Counties represented at the session were Pemiscot, Dunklin, New Madrid, Stoddard, Scott, Mississippi, Cape Girardeau, Perry, Ste. Genevieve, St. Francois, Madison and Bollinger.

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Anheuser Busch	83¼	84¼
Ark Mo Power	11⅝	12
Fed. Compress	25¼	26
Front Tow. Life	1⅝	2¼
Gen. Life of Wis.	4⅜	4⅝
Jeff Std. Life	35½	36¼
Malone and Hyde	25¾	26¾
Mid Amer. Ins.	3	4
No Amer. Comm.	11¼	12
Pabst Brewing	62	62¾
Wetterau	24½	25½
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		38⅜
Amer. Tel & Tel.		50⅜
Chrysler		50½
Columbia Gas		27⅞
Eaton Mfg.		29½
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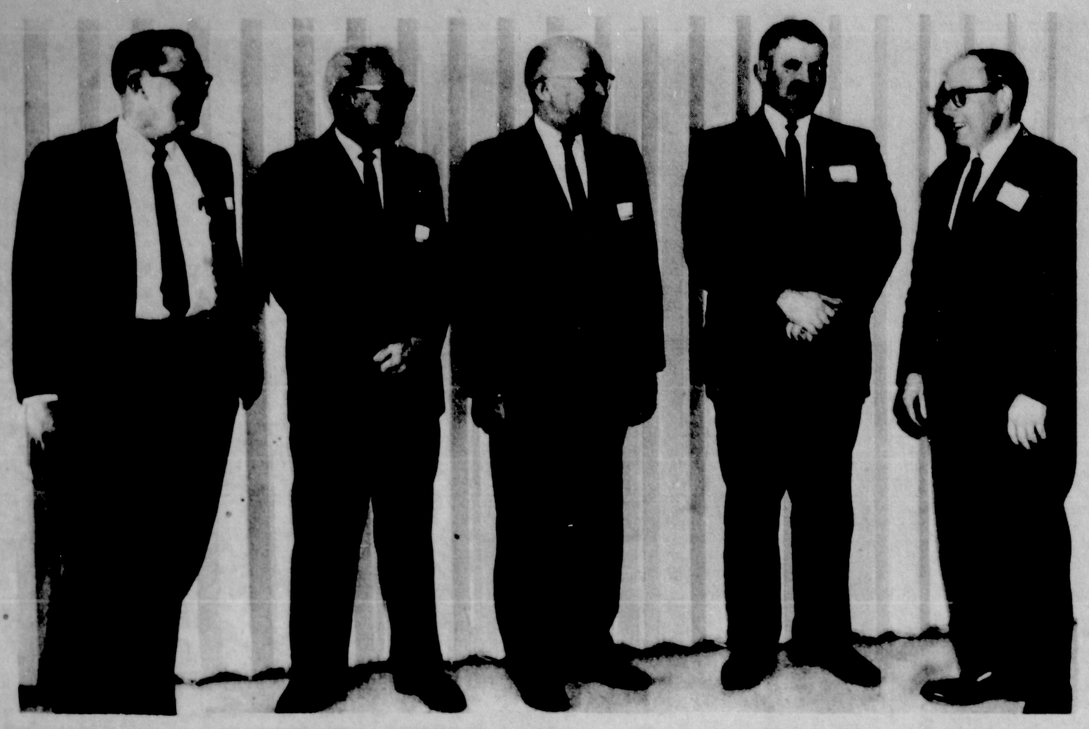


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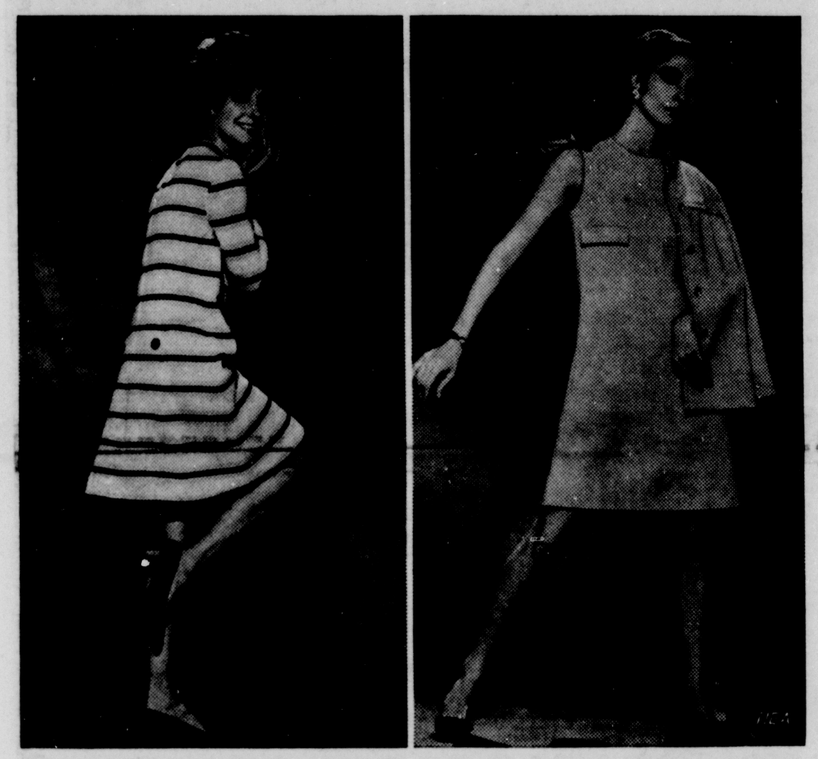
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Amateur movie fans: prepare for some superlatives!

A new Super 8mm motion picture camera is making its appearance, which offers the most exciting possibilities for extraordinary movies by amateur photographers without special attachments or expert technical skill necessary.

It is capable of effects of professional caliber merely by turning a dial with the thumb while it is hand-held. It produces magical dissolves, scene transitions, on-the-spot film titling and dramatic supercloseups simply and directly on the film.

The exciting new camera is the Bolex 155 Macrozoom Super 8, distributed by Paillard Inc., Linden, N.J. Its unique power is in its patented optical system: its ability to zoom and focus continuously and sharply from infinity all the way down to one inch from the camera lens by the turn of two dials. No other lens in the world can make that claim presently.

All the filming is done by looking through the reflex viewfinder and pressing the trigger as you thumb the focus wheel to get a sharp or dissolving image. You could fill the screen with your fingernail or the end of your burning cigarette and change it to an unlimited horizon in a smooth, transtional flow of images. Proper exposure is maintained throughout by the automatic internal light metering system.

A film shown at a press preview of the new camera revealed some of the amazing film tricks possible. The world of spectacular closeups is now available for amateur film fans without attachments or juggling. Put the camera one inch from a flower, insect, berry, jewel, the eye, or any object, focus and snoot. It reveals a new world.

The shifting from extreme closeup to infinity views transforms film sequences into fades and dissolves automatically without skill or fuss which professionals go through to achieve similar effects with expensive equipment.



UNUSUAL HAND-HELD MOVIES are possible with this new Bolex 155 Macrozoom camera which will focus down to one inch from the lens. A movable track, attached in front, holds postcards, transparencies or brochures for on-the-scene titles. A title can also be improvised by lettering on a sheet of clear plastic and shooting scene through it, as shown here.

Other effects are obtained with an accessory which comes with the camera: the Multitrix. It's a lightweight, eight-inch long track which attaches quickly below and in front of the lens. It has a groove which holds a postcard, transparency, piece of clear plastic, etc.

Postcards, maps, brochures can be filmed as titles to fill the entire screen . . . then removed to show the actual scene, museum, historic spot or vacation resort in the background. Or a title can be lettered on the clear plastic with a grease pencil and the scene filmed with the on-the-spot title. The writing can be rubbed off for the next title needed.

More startling tricks are possible with a color transparency held in the groove. Focusing on the transparency—a light colored one is best—shows it clearly but by shifting the focus through the slide to the background, the lens picks up the distant scene right through the slide itself. It's an amazing lesson in optical magic . . . but it's simple photography.

The titler is so light and handy, it can easily be carried for use anywhere at any time with printed material or color slides obtained at whatever scene you're filming.

Some of the technical features of the Bolex 155 include: An f/1.9 Macrozoom lens with a zoom range from 8.5 to 30mm. It contains 17 elements and two prisms. Power is supplied by four penlight AA batteries at a normal 18 fps or at a push-button 32 fps for slow-motion. Automatic, through-the-lens exposure control power is from two Mallory PX-13 batteries for speeds to 200 ASA. A fingertip push button locks the diaphragm before or during filming. The lens hood is retractable and swivels and a rubber eyecup rotates over an adjustable eyepiece. The camera price: $300.

With imagination, the urge for experimentation and ingenuity,—and some practice in handling the camera's controls—the Bolex 155 offers broad new horizons for amateur moving making.



SPEAKING OUT against the U.S., South Vietnam President Gen. Nguyen Van Thieu rejected suggestions that bombing of North Vietnam be halted as "preposterous and absurd." He also criticized the U.S. for taking the central role in Vietnam peace efforts, saying it properly belongs to his government.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For Prosecuting Attorney:
Tom Gilmore
411 Shady Lane
Sikeston, Mo.

For Sheriff
Lynn Ingram
704 Hickory
Sikeston, Mo.

For Sheriff:
Bill Proffer
111 Baker Lane
Sikeston, Mo.

For State Representative:
157 th District
Tony Heckemeyer
115 Wakefield
Sikeston, Mo.

For Senator 25th District:
J.F. "Pat" Patterson
Caruthersville, Mo.

For State Representative:
158 th District
David Rowling
Charleston, Mo.

For Committeewoman:
Richland Township
Mrs. Mary L. Isaacs
No. 1 Beaird Dr.
Sikeston, Mo.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI
In the estate of)
Joe C. Marshall)
deceased.)
Estate No. 3403

To all persons in the estate of Joe C. Marshall, decedent:

On the 5th day of February, 1968, the last Will of Joe C. Marshall was admitted to probate and Marguerite M. Thornberry was appointed the executrix of the estate of Joe C. Marshall decedent, by the probate court of Scott County, Missouri, on the 5th day of February, 1968. The business address of the executrix is R.F.D. No. 1, Painton, Missouri, whose telephone number is RA 2-3368 and her attorney is David E. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton and Rice whose business address is 201 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests herein.

Date of first publication is February 29th, 1968.

Almaretta Huber, Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.
132-138-144-150

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1-Sleeping Rooms

Sleeping rooms. Private entrance, downtown. Men preferred. $2.00 per night or $30 per month. Phone 471-1701. 2-29-3t

For Rent - Light housekeeping room. Bed linen and utilities furnished. Prefer two gentlemen. 210 Ruth. 471-4182. 2-12-tf

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For Rent - Sleeping room. Private entrance and bath. Phone 471-0079. 2-10-tf

2-Apartments-Furn.

For Rent - 3 room furnished apartment. $14 per week. 471-5906 or 471-2105. 2-22-tf

For Rent - 4 room duplex. Utilities paid. Carport. 471-3403. 2-27-tf

For Rent - 3 room furnished house. Call 471-3753. 2-28-tf

For Rent - 3 room furnished apartment. Utilities furnished. Adults only. 219 W. Gladys. 2-27-tf

For Rent - Furnished 2 bedroom apartment. Call 471-2503 after 6. 2-28-tf

For Rent - Small furnished apartment. Utilities paid. Adults. 471-9870. 2-28-tf

Modern 2 bedroom mobile home. 471-1254. 2-26-tf

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(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI at Benton, Missouri.
In the estate of)
Henry Burlock)
deceased.)
Estate No. 3402

To all persons in the estate of Henry Burlock, decedent:

On the 12th day of February, 1968, the last Will of Henry Burlock was admitted to probate and Alvin Dotson was appointed the executor of the estate of Henry Burlock decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 12th day of February, 1968. The business address of the executor is 1302 W. North Street, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-1398 and his attorney is Jack O. Edwards of Dempster, Edwards and Robison whose business address is 215 N. Stoddard Street, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-3210.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication is February 15th, 1968.

Almaretta Huber, Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri
(Seal)
120-126-132-138

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI
In the estate of)
Clark Mattison, a.k.a.)
Clark Mattison Chiles)
deceased.)
Estate No. 3411

To all persons interested in the estate of Clark Mattison, a.k.a. Clark Mattison Chiles, decedent: On the 23rd day of February, 1968 Lola Mattison was appointed the administrix of of the estate of Clark Mattison, a.k.a. Clark Mattison Chiles decedent, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri. The business address of the administratrix is Route No. 2, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-3265 and her attorney is Roy F. Hough whose business address is 119 S. Kingshighway, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-5334.

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For Rent - Furnished duplex. 3 rooms and bath. Heat and water furnished. $60 month. Adults only. Call 471-4059 or 471-5839. 2-20-tf

For Rent - Two bedroom mobile home. Carpeted, automatic washer, carport. Safe location for girls. 510 N. Main, 471-9856. 2-2-tf

For Rent - Furnished apartment. Adults only. $75 monthly. Call 471-5755 after 5 p.m. 2-21-tf

3-Apartments-Unfurn.

For Rent - 3 and 4-room duplex. Call 471-4077. 1-3-tf

For Rent - Duplex. 3 rooms and bath. Gas heat. 419 Prosperity (east side). Call 471-3210. 1-8-tf

For Rent - One bedroom duplex. Tile bath, plenty of closets, new and clean. 406 Kendall. 471-5775 or 471-1293. 2-28-tf

4-Houses for Rent

For Rent - 4 room house $25 monthly. Call 471-2131 between 8-5. 1-15-ti

For Rent - 4 room house. 414 W. Gladys. 471-4551 or after 5 - 471-0498. 2-27-tf

For Rent - 6 room house. Call 471-0416. 2-7-tf

For Rent - 4 rooms and bath. Gas. 471-2649. 2-22-tf

For Rent - 4 room house and bath. Call 471-2009. 2-29-tf

For Rent - 4 room house with bath. 716 Vernon. $40 monthly. 471-4168 or 471-5954. 2-19-tf

5-Misc. for Rent

For Rent or Lease -- Available March 1st. Commercial building at 224 E. Center St. 2800 sq. ft. Also, office space at 533 Greer St. Call 471-3721. 2-21-tf

6a-Musical Instruments

PIANOS AND ORGANS
Baldwin and Wurlitzer. Finest quality at reasonable prices and terms. Rental plan available.
Keith Collins Piano Co.
98 N. Kingshighway 471-3541

6-Misc. for Sale

For Sale - All channel TV antennas. $10.95. Phone 471-5688. 2-23-tf

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"In-THE-WAYS"
OUT-OF-THE-WAY
THE WANT AD WAY
2-26-tf

For Sale - Brown couch and chair and 2 orange flowered chairs with matching ottoman. $125 cash. Call 471-1635 after 5:30 p.m. 2-26-tf

"NEVER used anything like it," say users of Blue Lustre for cleaning carpet. Rent electric shampooer $1. Moore's Hardware, 118 N. New Madrid St., Sikeston. 2-26-6t

For Sale - Some good furniture. Practically new. Call 471-3637 or see at 520 Sikes Ave. 2-28-tf

For Sale - Singer Treadle Sewing Machine. 471-4143. 2-29-3t

For Sale - Thin aluminum plates. 20" x 36". 20 cents each. The Daily Standard, Sikeston. 1-31-tf

IF carpets look dull and drear, remove the spots as they appear with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer $1. Moore Hardware, 118 N. New Madrid, Sikeston, Mo. 2-19-6t

For Sale - Public Address Amplifier and 2 speakers. Like new. $90. Call 667-5669. 2-19-6t

DO you count wear and tear and labor too?. . . Then Wipe Lustre is the rug cleaner for you. Smith-Alsop Paint & Wallpaper Co. 2-26-tf

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See our 68 models
12 ft. wide $3695
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Major brand appliances.
200-mile free delivery.
Joe Galemore
Mobile Homes
2 miles East of Charleston
MU 3-3311

1967 Singer Touch & Sew. Guaranteed. Like new. Makes zig-zag patterns, blind hems, overcasts, monograms, buttonholes, winds bobbin in machine. See locally. 13 payments of $5.26. Cash discount. Will take trade. Also, 1968 Dial 'n Sew. Save $127.00. Write District Credit Department, Box 4381, Overland Park, Kansas, 66204.

HOLIDAY RAMBLER, SHASTA TRAVEL TRAILERS. OPEN ROAD Pick-up campers, APACHE. Presley Camper Center, Sikeston, Mo. 2-17-tf

Norske
Electric
CHORD ORGAN
2 year guarantee
$24.87
HOMESTEAD DIST. CO
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1967 ZIG ZAG
Sewing machine, late style. Will do buttonholes, sew on buttons and fancy stitch. Unpaid balance $46.35 or on payments of $5.49 per month.
NECCHI
SEWING CIRCLE
118 S. Ranney
Sikeston, Mo.
471-1566

C.D. ALCORN AGENCY
GRI-1262
503 S. MAIN · Sikeston

For Sale - 16 ft. Fiberglass boat, vinyl top, 75 HP motor and trailer. 12 ft. John Boat, 7 1/2 HP motor. 471-0363. 2-23-6t

7-Real Estate

For Sale - 960 acres. 3 miles north of Lake Wappapello. Good pasture land. Call AC 2-3847 after 8 p.m. 2-27-6t

For Sale - 40 acre farm with new 3-bedroom brick home. Located 3 miles southwest of Dexter. MA 4-3017. 2-26-26t

For Sale - 4 room house and lot - 117 x 117. Located highway 61 in Marston. Call DR 9-3206. 2-26-12t

158 ACRE IMPROVED FARM
Complete set of building; 6 room house with bath, gas furnace, 3 large ponds, good well, good fencing, improved pasture, ideal stock farm. Located 3 miles NW. Olmsted, Illinois, on school, mail, and milk route, near church. Write R. G. Crecelius, Olmsted, Illinois, phone 742-6284. 2-20-10t

For Sale - 3 bedroom house with paneled den, kitchen and bedroom. 509 West 8th St., Portageville, Mo. on ½ acre lot. $10,800. Call DR 9-3344 after 5:30 2-24-tf

For Sale - 5 room home. Warm, comfortable. Carpeting throughout. Fine condition. Separate dining room. Assume loan or get G.I. Loan. Call 471-1678, Anna Lewis, Realtor. 2-29-1t

160 Acres. Modern 3-bedroom home, 2 irrigation wells with irrigation equipment. Good allotments. Price -- $350 per acre.

390 Acres. Extra good creek bottom land. All cleared except 70 acres. $220 per acre.

DUE TO RECENT SALES, WE NEED LISTINGS VERY BADLY...

Four Family Apartment House. Well Located. Monthly income - $240. Price - $16,500. Can be financed.
DAN BYRD REAL ESTATE
Office: 471-2105
Res.: 471-5906
2-29-3t

For Sale - 354 Acre grain and stock farm. Located on Cache River at Unity, Illinois. Contact B. D. Dodd, Tamms, Illinois. Phone 618-747-2463. 2-19-24t

80 acres near Benton 6-room house 4 years old. Wells and irrigation equipment. $26,000.

530 acres Blodgett area modern house. 170 acres graded for flood irrigation. Plenty of water bordered on 2 sides by ditches. Priced to sell.

464 acres Sedgewickville area good buildings fenced for cattle. Approximately 320 acres cleared. Priced to sell-$58,000.

200 acres 3 miles East of Grant City. Priced $210.00 per acre.

80 acres 1/4 mile off highway 61 South of Morley-$235.00 acre.

144 acres Vanduser area. Good allotments - $450.00 acre.

For sale or trade for small acreage six room house with full basement choice location in Benton, Mo. Near school. Three bedrooms, dining room, two fire places and a large covered patio.

HAGAR & HOLLAND
REAL ESTATE
Morley, Mo.
262-3618
Ken Hagar KI 5-3607 Dennis Holland KI 5-3666

NOTICE
In spite of rumors, the CORNER BEAUTY SHOP is NOT being sold and will continue business as usual
Owner & Operator
ALICE BANDY

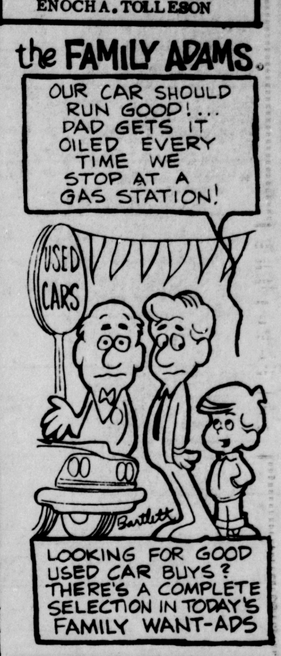
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NOW IS THE TIME
Trimming & Spraying
CLINE NURSERY
471-2240
2-6-tf

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Vacuum Cleaners
Sale and Service
471-9118 - Sikeston
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FOR SALE
A BARGAIN - NEEDS A LITTLE FIXIN INSIDE - but priced accordingly, $7,000. Pay $750. Down and assume present low-interest loan. No closing costs. Roomy 2 2 bedroom home, new roof, gas furnace. Edmondson Street, $56.33 monthly includes taxes and insurance. It sure beats renting.

YOUR KEYS TO LOTS O' LIVING' - You're passing up an excellent opportunity to buy a newly redecorated three bedroom home with full basement if you don't take a look at 229 Moore. 1 1/2 baths, new furnace, new roof, beautiful floors. $12,500. $600. Down. Vacant now.
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8-Situations Wanted

Wanted to do - General house work. 471-4873. 2-29-6t

Wanted - Washing and ironings. 471-9493. 2-28-12t

9-Wanted to Rent

Wanted to Rent - Nice 2 or 3 bedroom home for new manager of Sikeston Lumber Co. Contact Buford Ayers, 471-5226 days or 471-9215 after 5. 2-28-3t

10-Wanted to Buy

Wanted to Buy - Good used furniture. M & M Furniture, 471-5704. 2-22-tf

WANTED - Good used furniture and appliances. Hezzie Furniture Mart. Phone 471-5617. 11-20-tf

12-Help Wanted

WOMEN SEWERS WANTED -- work at home doing simple sewing. We supply materials and pay shipping both ways. Good rate of pay. Piece work. Write Dept. D, Jamster Industries Inc., 100 Ashman, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Zip 49783. 2-26-6t

Wanted - Waitress. Hours - 10 to 4:30. 6 days week. Saturdays off. Blackburn's Grill. 2-23-tf

Wanted - Elderly to keep in my home. Call 667-5159. 2-27-6t

Wanted - Middle aged lady to stay with elderly ladies one or two days and nights a week. 471-1161. 2-29-2t

SALESMAN
FULL OR PART TIME
To establish own Credit Brokerage business. No investment To help get started we guarantee $150 weekly to man or woman at meeting our requirements. Age no barrier. Write: Manager, Box 700, Painesville, Ohio 44077. 2-26-6t

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FULLER BRUSH
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1-24-tf

Do you perform a special service? Contact customers through the classified wants ads. Call today, 471-1137. 10-17-tf

Call CLIFF JONES
A-1 ELECTRICIAN
Commerical & Residential
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IN VISIBLE REWEAVING
MABEL MATTHEWS
405 Virginia
471-0941
2-6-26t

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Herschel Deal
Moving and Delivery
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10-11-tf

BUTLER BROTHERS
Furniture Finishing
And Refinishing
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2-14-14t

See George Mills
For aluminum storm windows, awnings, carports.
511 William St. Sikeston, Mo.
471-5191
8-31-tf

CUSTOM PICTURE FRAMING
Milton Sadler -- Ables Road
471-5982
10-20-tf

KEN'S WATCH & CLOCK REPAIR
311 W. Malone
9-26-1 mo.

19-Poultry & Livestock

FOR SALE - Herb of Bulls. Registered Angus, Registered Hereford, Registered Charolais. Pullfight Farms, East Prairie, Mo. P. O. Box 70, call NI 9-3522. 2-28-tf

20-Pets

For Sale - German Shepard pups. 471-1043. 2-17-6t

For Sale - White German Shepard puppies. AKC Registered. Special - $25. Call MA 4-2936, Ed Bridges. 2-26-tf

For Sale - Poodle puppies, sired by son of champion Sherbit of Sassasfras. Stud service, Silver, black, white, apricot. Call MU 3-6471, Charleston, Mo. 2-16-12t

21-Feed & Seed

MISSOURI CERTIFIED
SEED BEANS
Certified dare & Certified hill. Registered custer & Registered dyer (cyst nematode resistant)
Call Larry Strobel, Strobel Farms, Painton, Mo.
314 RE 3-4139

22-New & Used Cars

For Sale - 1963 Pontiac Bonneville. 4 door hardtop, air conditioned, power steering, power brakes, new tires. 471-5315 days or 471-2260 nights. 2-28-3t

For Sale - 1966 Plymouth V.I.P. Extra clean. 19,000 actual miles. Call Ted Martin, 471-0121 and after 5 p.m. call MU 3-3276. 2-28-tf

1960
OLDSMOBILE
4 door. Runs good and drives good.
$150.00
GOZA-HARPER MOTOR CO.
225 E. Malone
See Kelly Goza or Lawrence Glover.

1965 6-cylinder Mustang. 2 door hardtop with standard transmission. 471-9224. 2-28-4t

For Sale - 1967 ton truck. Custom cab. 327 with 4 - speed. New motor. Price $2,200. 471-3176. 2-13-tf

For Sale - 1964 Chevrolet Pickup. Long wide bed. 325 Pam. 2-29-3t

1962
PLYMOUTH
4 door, 6 cylinder. Runs good & drives good.
$150.00
GOZA-HARPER MOTOR CO.
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25-Loans & Insurance

INCREASE YOUR
BURIAL PROTECTION
$100 to $1500
for information
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The Nunnelee Funeral Chapel
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Sikeston, Mo.
Phone 471-2242
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Tony Shuffit
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Income Tax Deduction Chart For Automobile Expenses For Missouri

Description:	FEDERAL INCOME TAX Business	FEDERAL INCOME TAX Non-Business	MISSOURI STATE Business	MISSOURI STATE Non-Business
Federal Gasoline Tax, 4¢ — Deductible as business expense as part of the cost of gasoline, not as a tax.	Yes	No	Yes	No
State Gasoline Tax	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Federal Tax on Tires and Tubes	Yes	No	Yes	No
City Gasoline Tax (varies) — If the tax is separately stated and passed on to the consumer.	Yes	Yes	Yes	No
State Sales Tax	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
State Auto License	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Property Tax	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
City Auto License	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
State Driver's License	Yes	No	Yes	Yes
Operating Expenses, cost of gas, oil, repairs, insurance, etc.	Yes	No	Yes	No
Loss on Sale of Car — Not deductible on exchange for another car but basis of new car is adjusted.	Yes	No	Yes	No
Interest on Loan — When actual interest paid during the year is not specified, the interest deduction is allowable to 6% of the average unpaid balance, not to exceed the portion of the total carrying charges attributable to the taxable year.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Loss by Casualty — Losses on non-business property not compensated for by insurance or otherwise, are deductible to the extent that each casualty or loss exceeds $100. The $100 limitation applies to federal income taxes only. Casualty losses are fully deductible on the state income tax return. The loss must be deducted in the year in which it is sustained. A loss by casualty is one caused by sudden natural physical forces or by an accident not caused by one's own willful negligence.	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Loss by Liability Damage — Losses sustained where a motorist paid damages for injury to person or to property of another, the amount is deductible only where car is used for business and the loss was not compensated by insurance.	Yes	No	Yes	No
Depreciation — There are several methods of computing depreciation on automobiles used in the taxpayer's trade or business. Some of these methods permit greater deduction in the first year or in the early years of the life of the automobile. For more specific information, refer to the Internal Revenue Service or to some other competent tax consultants — The above federal income tax information obtained from district office, Internal Revenue Service.	Yes	No	Yes	No

Missouri Auto Club



FROM A GROUP OF CRASH CONTRASTS, boldly striped wool knit (left) in oxford and oyster with bone buttoned tab front and demi back belt has long sleeves. Rajah jacket in honey wool knit over a slightly flared sleeveless dress with flap pockets (right) has welt seaming and gold buttons. These designs are by Kimberly from the Spring '68 collection.

CAMERA Angles

By IRVING DESFOR
AP Newsfeatures



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More startling tricks are possible with a color transparency held in the groove. Focusing on the transparency—a light colored one is best—shows it clearly but by shifting the focus through the slide to the background, the lens picks up the distant scene right through the slide itself. It's an amazing lesson in optical magic . . . but it's simple photography.

The titler is so light and handy, it can easily be carried for use anywhere at any time with printed material or color slides obtained at whatever scene you're filming.

Some of the technical features of the Bolex 155 include: An f/1.9 Macrozoom lens with a zoom range from 8.5 to 30mm. It contains 17 elements and two prisms. Power is supplied by four penlight AA batteries at a normal 18 fps or at a push-button 32 fps for slow-motion. Automatic, through-the-lens exposure control power is from two Mallory PX-13 batteries for speeds to 200 ASA. A fingertip push button locks the diaphragm before or during filming. The lens hood is retractable and swivels and a rubber eyecup rotates over an adjustable eyepiece. The camera price: $300.

With imagination, the urge for experimentation and ingenuity,—and some practice in handling the camera's controls—the Bolex 155 offers broad new horizons for amateur moving making.



SPEAKING OUT against the U.S., South Vietnam President Gen. Nguyen Van Thieu rejected suggestions that bombing of North Vietnam be halted as "preposterous and absurd." He also criticized the U.S. for taking the central role in Vietnam peace efforts, saying it properly belongs to his government.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS
DEMOCRATIC TICKET

For Prosecuting Attorney:
Tom Gilmore
411 Shady Lane
Sikeston, Mo.

For Sheriff
Lynn Ingram
704 Hickory
Sikeston, Mo.

For Sheriff:
Bill Proffer
111 Baker Lane
Sikeston, Mo.

For State Representative:
157 th District
Tony Heckemeyer
115 Wakefield
Sikeston, Mo.

For Senator 25th District:
J.F. "Pat" Patterson
Caruthersville, Mo.

For State Representative:
158 th District
David Rowling
Charleston, Mo.

For Committeewoman:
Richland Township
Mrs. Mary L. Isaacs
No. 1 Beaird Dr.
Sikeston, Mo.

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI
In the estate of)
Joe C. Marshall)
deceased.)
Estate No. 3403

To all persons in the estate of Joe C. Marshall, decedent:

On the 5th day of February, 1968, the last Will of Joe C. Marshall was admitted to probate and Marguerite M. Thornberry was appointed the executrix of the estate of Joe C. Marshall decedent, by the probate court of Scott County, Missouri, on the 5th day of February, 1968. The business address of the executrix is R.F.D. No. 1, Painton, Missouri, whose telephone number is RA 2-3368 and her attorney is David E. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton and Rice whose business address is 201 S. New Madrid, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests herein.

Date of first publication is February 29th, 1968.

Almaretta Huber, Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri.
132-138-144-150

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI at Benton, Missouri.
In the estate of)
Henry Burlock)
deceased.)
Estate No. 3402

To all persons in the estate of Henry Burlock, decedent:

On the 12th day of February, 1968, the last Will of Henry Burlock was admitted to probate and Alvin Dotson was appointed the executor of the estate of Henry Burlock decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 12th day of February, 1968. The business address of the executor is 1302 W. North Street, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-4398 and his attorney is Jack O. Edwards of Dempster, Edwards and Robison whose business address is 215 N. Stoddard Street, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is GR 1-3210.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

Date of first publication is February 15th, 1968.

Almaretta Huber, Clerk
Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri
(Seal)
120-126-132-138

NOTICE OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo.)
STATE OF MISSOURI)
ss)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)
IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI
In the estate of)
Clark Mattison, a.k.a.)
Clark Mattison Chiles)
deceased.)
Estate No. 3411

To all persons interested in the estate of Clark Mattison, a.k.a. Clark Mattison Chiles, decedent: On the 23rd day of February, 1968 Lola Mattison was appointed the administrix of the estate of Clark Mattison, a.k.a. Clark Mattison Chiles decedent, by the Probate Court of Scott County, Missouri. The business address of the administratrix is Route No. 2, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-3265 and her attorney is Roy F. Hough whose business address is 119 S. Kingshighway, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-5334.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within nine months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests herein.

Date of first publication is February 29th, 1968.

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For Rent - 3 room furnished apartment. $14 per week. 471-5906 or 471-2105. 2-22-tf

For Rent - 4 room duplex. Utilities paid. Carport. 471-3403. 2-27-tf

For Rent - 3 room furnished house. Call 471-3753. 2-28-tf

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For Rent - Furnished apartment. Adults only. $75 monthly. Call 471-5755 after 5 p.m. 2-21-tf

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For Rent - 3 and 4-room duplex. Call 471-4077. 1-3-tf

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For Rent - One bedroom duplex. Tile bath, plenty of closets, new and clean. 406 Kendall. 471-5775 or 471-1293. 2-28-tf

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For Rent - 4 room house $25 monthly. Call 471-2131 between 8-5. 1-15-tf

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For Rent - 4 rooms and bath. Gas. 471-2649. 2-22-tf

For Rent - 4 room house and bath. Call 471-2009. 2-29-tf

For Rent - 4 room house with bath. 716 Vernon. $40 monthly. 471-4168 or 471-5954. 2-19-tf

5-Misc. for Rent

For Rent or Lease -- Available March 1st. Commercial building at 224 E. Center St. 2800 sq. ft. Also, office space at 533 Greer St. Call 471-3721. 2-21-tf

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PIANOS AND ORGANS
Baldwin and Wurlitzer. Finest quality at reasonable prices and terms. Rental plan available.
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6-Misc. for Sale

For Sale - All channel TV antennas. $10.95. Phone 471-5688. 2-23-tf

GET THE
"In-THE-WAYS"
OUT-OF-THE-WAY
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2-26-tf

For Sale - Brown couch and chair and 2 orange flowered chairs with matching ottoman. $125 cash. Call 471-1635 after 5:30 p.m. 2-26-tf

"NEVER used anything like it," say users of Blue Lustre for cleaning carpet. Rent electric shampooer $1. Moore's Hardware, 118 N. New Madrid St., Sikeston. 2-26-6t

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For Sale - Thin aluminum plates. 20" x 36". 20 cents each. The Daily Standard, Sikeston. 1-31-tf

IF carpets look dull and drear, remove the spots as they appear with Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer $1. Moore Hardware, 118 N. New Madrid, Sikeston, Mo. 2-19-6t

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DO you count wear and tear and labor too?. . . Then Wipe Lustre is the rug cleaner for you. Smith-Alsop Paint & Wallpaper Co. 2-26-tf

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See our 68 models
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2 year guarantee
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1967 ZIG ZAG
Sewing machine, late style. Will do buttonholes, sew on buttons and fancy stitch. Unpaid balance $46.35 or on payments of $5.49 per month.
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SEWING CIRCLE
118 S. Ranney
Sikeston, Mo.
471-1566

For Sale - 16 ft. Fiberglass boat, vinyl top, 75 HP motor and trailer. 12 ft. John Boat, 7 1/2 HP motor. 471-0363. 2-23-6t

7-Real Estate

For Sale - 960 acres. 3 miles north of Lake Wappapello. Good pasture land. Call AC 2-3847 after 8 p.m. 2-27-6t

For Sale - 40 acre farm with new 3-bedroom brick home. Located 3 miles southwest of Dexter. MA 4-3017. 2-26-26t

For Sale - 4 room house and lot - 117 x 117. Located highway 61 in Marston. Call DR 9-3206. 2-26-12t

158 ACRE IMPROVED FARM
Complete set of building; 6 room house with bath, gas furnace, 3 large ponds, good well, good fencing, improved pasture, ideal stock farm. Located 3 miles NW. Olmsted, Illinois, on school, mail, and milk route, near church. Write R. G. Crecelius, Olmsted, Illinois, phone 742-6284. 2-20-10t

For Sale - 3 bedroom house with paneled den, kitchen and bedroom. 509 West 8th St., Portageville, Mo. on ½ acre lot. $10,800. Call DR 9-3344 after 5:30 2-24-tf

For Sale - 5 room home. Warm, comfortable. Carpeting throughout. Fine condition. Separate dining room. Assume loan or get G.I. Loan. Call 471-1678, Anna Lewis, Realtor. 2-29-1t

160 Acres. Modern 3-bedroom home, 2 irrigation wells with irrigation equipment. Good allotments. Price -- $350 per acre.

390 Acres. Extra good creek bottom land. All cleared except 70 acres. $220 per acre.

DUE TO RECENT SALES, WE NEED LISTINGS VERY BADLY...

Four Family Apartment House. Well Located. Monthly income - $240. Price - $16,500. Can be financed.
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Office: 471-2105
Res.: 471-5906
2-29-3t

For Sale - 354 Acre grain and stock farm. Located on Cache River at Unity, Illinois. Contact B. D. Dodd, Tamms, Illinois. Phone 618-747-2463. 2-19-24t

80 acres near Benton 6-room house 4 years old. Wells and irrigation equipment. $26,000.

530 acres Blodgett area modern house. 170 acres graded for flood irrigation. Plenty of water bordered on 2 sides by ditches. Priced to sell.

464 acres Sedgewickville area good buildings fenced for cattle. Approximately 320 acres cleared. Priced to sell-$58,000.

200 acres 3 miles East of Grant City. Priced $210.00 per acre.

80 acres 1/4 mile off highway 61 South of Morley-$235.00 acre.

144 acres Vanduser area. Good allotments - $450.00 acre.

For sale or trade for small acreage six room house with full basement choice location in Benton Mo. Near school. Three bedrooms, dining room, two fire places and a large covered patio.
HAGAR & HOLLAND
REAL ESTATE
Morley, Mo.
262-3618
Ken Hagar KI 5-3607 Dennis Holland KI 5-3666

NOTICE
In spite of rumors, the CORNER BEAUTY SHOP is NOT being sold and will continue business as usual
Owner & Operator
ALICE BANDY

FOR SALE
A BARGAIN - NEEDS A LITTLE FIXIN INSIDE - but priced accordingly, $7,000. Pay $750. Down and assume present low-interest loan. No closing costs. Roomy 2 2 bedroom home, new roof, gas furnace. Edmondson Street, $56.33 monthly includes taxes and insurance. It sure beats renting.

YOUR KEYS TO LOTS O' LIVING' - You're passing up an excellent opportunity to buy a newly redecorated three bedroom home with full basement if you don't take a look at 229 Moore. 1 1/2 baths, new furnace, new roof, beautiful floors. $12,500. $600. Down. Vacant now.
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8-Situations Wanted

Wanted to do - General house work. 471-4873. 2-29-6t

Wanted - Washing and ironings. 471-9493. 2-28-12t

9-Wanted to Rent

Wanted to Rent - Nice 2 or 3 bedroom home for new manager of Sikeston Lumber Co. Contact Buford Ayers, 471-5226 days or 471-9215 after 5. 2-28-3t

10-Wanted to Buy

Wanted to Buy - Good used furniture. M & M Furniture, 471-5704. 2-22-tf

WANTED - Good used furniture and appliances. Hezzie Furniture Mart. Phone 471-5617. 11-20-tf

12-Help Wanted

WOMEN SEWERS WANTED -- work at home doing simple sewing. We supply materials and pay shipping both ways. Good rate of pay. Piece work. Write Dept. D, Jamster Industries Inc., 100 Ashman, Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. Zip 49783. 2-26-6t

Wanted - Waitress. Hours - 10 to 4:30. 6 days week. Saturdays off. Blackburn's Grill. 2-23-tf

Wanted - Elderly to keep in my home. Call 667-5159. 2-27-6t

Wanted - Middle aged lady to stay with elderly ladies one or two days and nights a week. 471-1161. 2-29-2t

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To establish own Credit Brokerage business. No investment To help get started we guarantee $150 weekly to man or woman at meeting our requirements. Age no barrier. Write: Manager, Box 700, Painesville, Ohio 44077. 2-26-6t

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1-24-tf

Do you perform a special service? Contact customers through the classified wants ads. Call today, 471-1137. 10-17-tf

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A-1 ELECTRICIAN
Commerical & Residential
Phone 471-3041 Sikeston, Mo.
2-23-6t

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2-6-26t

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Herschel Deal
Moving and Delivery
24-Hour Service
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If no answer, 471-4212
10-11-tf

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Furniture Finishing
And Refinishing
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2-14-14t

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Sale and Service
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19-Poultry & Livestock

FOR SALE - Herb of Bulls. Registered Angus, Registered Hereford, Registered Charolais. Pullfight Farms, East Prairie, Mo. P. O. Box 70, call NI 9-1522. 2-28-tf

20-Pets

For Sale - German Shepard pups. 471-1043. 2-17-6t

For Sale - White German Shepard puppies. AKC Registered. Special - $25. Call MA 4-2936, Ed Bridges. 2-26-tf

For Sale - Poodle puppies, sired by son of champion Sherbit of Sassasfras. Stud service, Silver, black, white, apricot. Call MU 3-6471, Charleston, Mo. 2-16-12t

21-Feed & Seed

MISSOURI CERTIFIED
SEED BEANS
Certified dare & Certified hill. Registered custer & Registered dyer (cyst nematode resistant)
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314 RE 3-4139

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For Sale - 1963 Pontiac Bonneville. 4 door hardtop, air conditioned, power steering, power brakes, new tires. 471-5315 days or 471-2260 nights. 2-28-3t

For Sale - 1966 Plymouth V.I.P. Extra clean. 19,000 actual miles. Call Ted Martin, 471-0121 and after 5 p.m. call MU 3-3276. 2-28-tf

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4 door. Runs good and drives good.
$150.00
GOZA-HARPER MOTOR CO.
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1962
PLYMOUTH
4 door, 6 cylinder. Runs good & drives good.
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25-Loans & Insurance

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TIME	KFVS Channel 12 Cape Girardeau	WPSD Channel 6 Paducah	WSIL Channel 3 Harrisburgh
THURSDAY EVENING PROGRAMS			
5	:30 THE REGIONAL NEWS :45 THE SCOREBOARD :00 WATCHING THE WEATHER	:30 Huntley-Brinkley	:00 Adventure Club :15 Lucky Leroy Show :30 Evening News (C)
6	:00 CBS EVENING NEWS :30 CIMARRON STRIP -	:00 6 P.M. Report - :30 Daniel Boone	:00 Cactus Pete :25 Weather :30 Winter Olympics
7	"	:30 Ironside	:30 Bewitched
8	:00 THURSDAY NIGHT MOVIES THURSDAY NIGHT MOVIES (SPENCER'S MOUNTAIN-HENRY FONDA & MAUREEN O'HARA)	:10 Dragnet	:00 That Girl :30 Peyton Place
9	"	:30 Dean Martin Show	:00 Follow The Sun
10	:00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS :15 THE LATE WEATHER :25 THE SPORTS FINAL :30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (I AIM AT THE STARS)	:00 News Picture :30 Tonight Show	:00 Weather & News :30 Winter Olympics :45 Joey Bishop (C
11	"	"	"
12	1:00 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS	"	:00 News & Sign Off
FRIDAY MORNING PROGRAMS			
6	:00 SUNRISE SEMESTER :30 CHUCK WAGON GANG - :45 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW		
7	:05 CBS MORNING NEWS - :30 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW	:00 Today Show	
8	:00 CAPTAIN KANGAROO	"	
9	:00 CANDID CAMERA :30 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES	:00 Bumper Boom - :25 Nancy Dickerson :30 Concentration	:00 Jack Lalanne :30 Donna Reed
10		:00 Personality - :30 Hollywood Squares	:00 Temptation :25 News-Marlene Sanders :30 How's Your Mother-In-Law?
11	:00 LOVE OF LIFE :25 MIDDAY NEWS - :30 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW :45 THE GUIDING LIGHT	:00 Jeopardy :30 Eye Guess - :55 Edwin Newman	:00 Bewitched :30 Treasure Isle
12	:00 THE FARM PICTURE :05 NOONDAY NEWS :20 WATCHING THE WEATHER :30 AS THE WORLD TURNS	:00 News, Farm Markets :15 Pastor Speaks - c :30 Let's Make A Deal	:00 The Fugitive
1	:00 LOVE IS A MANY SPLENDORED THING - :30 HOUSE PARTY	:00 Days of our Lives :30 The Doctors -	:00 Newlywed Game :30 Baby Game (C) :55 Childrens Doctor
2	:00 TO TELL THE TRUTH - :25 DOUGLAS EDWARDS NEWS - :30 THE EDGE OF NIGHT -	:00 Another World :30 You Don't Say	:00 General Hospital :30 Dark Shadows
3	:00 THE SECRET STORM - :30 MAGIC CASTLE CARTOON	:00 Match Game - :25 Floyd Kalber :30 P.D.Q. - c	:00 Dating Game :30 Family Theatre
4		:00 Popeye :30 Bandido :55 Friday Games Party to 5:30 -	:00 The Hour

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Would you drive a few miles to SAVE a lot of DOLLARS?
SERVICE TRUCK IN SIKESTON DAILY
Larry or Lionel
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If You Were The Judge

Robber Can't Be Wantonly Injured

By Jack Strauss LL.B.

Wilbur, looking as tough as he could, entered a tavern and made believe he had a gun in his pocket. Growling out a bad imitation of Edward G. Robinson, he demanded all the money in the tavern owner's cash register. All he got, however, was a bullet in the back when the rugged tavern owner shot him after overpowering him.

Frustrated by his failure as a hold-up man, Wilbur changed his tactics and sought to obtain the tavern owner's money by suing the tavern owner for his having shot him.

"The guy's wacky!" was the tavern owner's answer in court. "He tried to hold me up. What was I supposed to do? Kill him with kindness?"

"I expected him not to try to kill me at all," was Wilbur's answer. "Once he had overpowered me, he had no right o injure me further. After all, I've got my rights too."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the tavern owner pay for shooting hold-up man Wilbur?

This is how the judged ruled: YES! The judge held that while the proprietor of a place of business has no duty to exercise care for the safety of a robber, he may not unnecessarily, or wantonly, injure him after he's been overpowered.

(Based upon a 1958 New York Supreme Court, App. Div., Decision)

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Looking Back

Teacher Resigns Position

50 years ago
February 29, 1918

Mrs. Amos Buchanan has resigned her position as teacher of the Hunter school, but is teaching this week until the vacancy is filled.

Roy Clodfelter resigned his position with the Farmers Supply Dry Goods and Clothing Co., Saturday night, and now has charge of the dry goods department of the Sikeston Mercnatile Co.

Miss Elizabeth Grojean, who had just finished a course in the Normal School at Cape Girardeau, left her home in Dexter last Saturday for University City, where she has a position in the primary grade of the public schools.

Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Wiley have taken rooms at the Mrs. Bettie Matthews home.

40 years ago
February 29, 1928

Oran -- Tuesday afternoon of last week "Grandma" Bowman, who had been ill for some time, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Maxwell. She was 80 years old.

Two dozen alphea plants, a present of the high school from Miss Virgie Wescoat, 1927 graduate, have been set on the school grounds.

Damage estimated at upward of $3,000 was done to the home of Dr. E. J. Malone on Malone avenue last Friday, when it is thought a bed lamp, left burning by John Malone, son of Dr. and Mrs. Malone, who lives in the second floor room in the southeast part of the large brick residence, set fire to papers.

Ray Hudson of Sikeston was one of those to receive a letter carried by Col. Chas. Limburgh when he made his mail-carrying loop from St. Louis to Chicago and return. The letter came from Chicago.

30 years ago
February 29, 1938

Malone Theatre, tomorrow "Blondes At Work" with Glenda Farrell.

Mrs. Alva Vaughn, son, Virgil, and daughter, Miss Dorothy, of Paris, Mo., arrived here Sunday evening to make their home with their husband and father, who has been here for the past month working with the Farm Service Bureau Co. They will reside in the Shanks property on North street. Another daughter, Miss Nina Ruth, will join her parents here at the close of the present school term.

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5	:00 THE REGIONAL NEWS :15 THE SCOREBOARD :30 WATCHING THE WEATHER	:30 Huntley-Brinkley	:00 Adventure Club :15 Lucky Leroy Show :30 Evening News (C)
6	:00 CBS EVENING NEWS :30 CIMARRON STRIP -	:00 6 P.M. Report - :30 Daniel Boone	:00 Cactus Pete :25 Weather :30 Winter Olympics
7	"	:30 Ironside	:30 Bewitched
8	:00 THURSDAY NIGHT MOVIES THURSDAY NIGHT MOVIES (SPENCER'S MOUNTAIN-HENRY FONDA & MAUREEN O'HARA)	:30 Dragnet	:00 That Girl :30 Peyton Place
9	"	:30 Dean Martin Show	:00 Follow The Sun
10	:00 CHANNEL 12 REPORTS :15 THE LATE WEATHER :20 THE SPORTS FINAL :30 CHANNEL 12 THEATRE (I AND AT THE STARS)	:00 News Picture :30 Tonight Show	:00 Weather & News :30 Winter Olympics :45 Joey Bishop (C
11	"	"	"
12	1:00 LATE NEWS HIGHLIGHTS	"	:00 News & Sign Off
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6	:00 SUNRISE SEMESTER :30 CHUCK WAGON GANG - :45 CH. 12 BREAKFAST SHOW		
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10		:00 Personality - - :30 Hollywood Squares	:00 Temptation :25 News-Marlene Sanders :30 How's Your Mother-In-Law?
11	:00 LOVE OF LIFE :25 MIDDAY NEWS - :30 SEARCH FOR TOMORROW :45 THE GUIDING LIGHT	:00 Jeopardy :30 Eye Guess - :55 Edwin Newman	:00 Bewitched :30 Treasure Isle
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Frustrated by his failure as a hold-up man, Wilbur changed his tactics and sought to obtain the tavern owner's money by suing the tavern owner for his having shot him.

"The guy's wacky!" was the tavern owner's answer in court. "He tried to hold me up. What was I supposed to do? Kill him with kindness?"

"I expected him not to try to kill me at all," was Wilbur's answer. "Once he had overpowered me, he had no right o injure me further. After all, I've got my rights too."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make the tavern owner pay for shooting hold-up man Wilbur?

This is how the judged ruled: YES! The judge held that while the proprietor of a place of business has no duty to exercise care for the safety of a robber, he may not unnecessarily, or wantonly, injure him after he's been overpowered.

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Looking Back

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40 years ago
February 29, 1928

Oran -- Tuesday afternoon of last week "Grandma" Bowman, who had been ill for some time, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Agnes Maxwell. She was 80 years old.

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By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1956, President Dwight D. Eisenhower announced he would seek a second term although he had suffered a heart attack.

On this date:

In 1792, the Italian operatic composer, Rossini, was born.

In 1872, a young revolutionary tried to assassinate Britain's Queen Victoria.

In 1920, Czechoslovakia's first constitution was adopted.

In 1928, the American colonel, Henry L. Stimson, arrived in Manila to take office as governor-general of the Philippines.

In 1944, American troops invaded the Admiralty Islands in the Pacific war.

In 1964, it was announced that the United States had secretly developed a jet airplane that could fly 2,000 miles an hour at altitudes of more than 70,000 miles.

VIETNAM REST FLIGHTS TO HAWAII

HONOLULU (AP)—Rest and recreation flights to Hawaii from Vietnam will be increased to 52 flights a month, a new high, effective April 1, the Army announces.

R and R flights have been arriving since last October at the rate of 45 flights a month. The average flight brings about 160 GIs here.

Feasibility studies are under way to see whether 60 R and R flights a month can be handled here.

Hawaii, as an R and R site, has been extremely popular with servicemen in Vietnam.

STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Friday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Hole	31 To	61 In	ARIES MAR. 22 – APR. 20	6-17-28-39 50-69-78	LIBRA SEPT. 23 – OCT. 23	3-14-25-36 47-59-70
2 Put	32 Could	62 Prejudice				
3 You	33 To	63 In	TAURUS APR. 21 – MAY 21	9-20-31-42 53-58-81-88	SCORPIO OCT. 24 – NOV. 22	4-15-26-37 48-56-79-87
4 Excellent	34 Quietly	64 Planetary				
5 Subtle	35 To	65 Aspects	GEMINI MAY 22 – JUNE 22	5-16-27-40 51-72-84-85	SAGITTARIUS NOV. 23 – DEC. 22	7-18-32-43 54-63-73
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7 Over-	37 Dates	67 Out	CANCER JUNE 22 – JULY 23	2-13-24-35 46-61-82-90	CAPRICORN DEC. 23 – JAN. 20	11-22-33-44 55-60-71
8 Check	38 To	68 Matters				
9 Everyone	39 Can	69 Found	LEO JULY 24 – AUG. 23	1-12-23-34 45-67-80-86	AQUARIUS JAN. 21 – FEB. 19	10-21-29-38 49-62-83-89
10 You	40 Are	70 Plans				
11 You're	41 Stand	71 Disturbance	VIRGO AUG. 24 – SEPT. 22	8-19-30-41 52-57-68	PISCES FEB. 20 – MAR. 21	64-65-66-74 75-76-77
12 Up	42 Be	72 In				
13 Your	43 Only	73 Tears				
14 Can	44 Adjust	74 Action				
15 For	45 Figure	75 And				
16 Romantic	46 Work	76 Wanted				
17 Good	47 Of	77 Attention				
18 Sensitivity	48 And	78 Unexpectedly				
19 How	49 Let	79 Professional				
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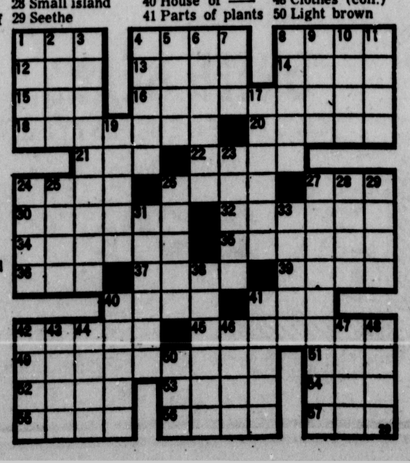
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26 Recount
27 Roman god of underworld
30 Unemployed
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34 City for Austria's nobility
35 Pendent of ice
36 Worm
37 Ardor
39 Killed
40 —— majesty
41 Body of water
42 Revolving part (mach.)
45 Withdrew
49 Exaggerate
51 Ostrichlike bird
52 Repair
53 Particle
54 Disencumber
55 Termini
56 Skin tumors
57 Elders (ab.)

DOWN

1 Enervates
2 Willow genus
3 Accomplished facts
4 Endures
5 Toward the sheltered side
6 Pamper
7 Eventually
8 Siberian city
9 Holm oak
10 One of the Fates
11 Obtains
17 Style of type
19 Coalition
23 Urchin
24 Ardent affection
25 American inventor
26 Short-necked river ducks
27 Announcers
28 Small island
29 Seethe
31 Scoffs
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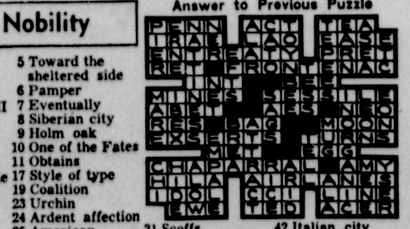
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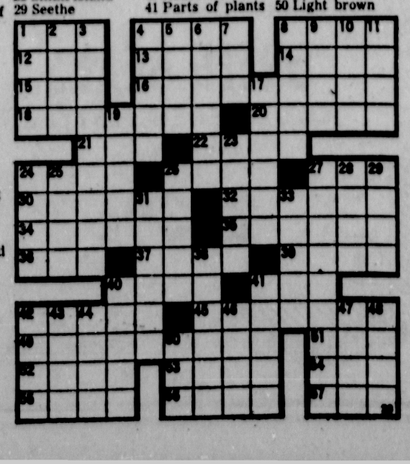
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6 Pamper
7 Eventually
8 Siberian city
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10 One of the Fates
11 Obtains
17 Style of type
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Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1956, President Dwight D. Eisenhower announced he would seek a second term although he had suffered a heart attack.

On this date:

In 1792, the Italian operatic composer, Rossini, was born.

In 1872, a young revolutionary tried to assassinate Britain's Queen Victoria.

In 1920, Czechoslovakia's first constitution was adopted.

In 1928, the American colonel, Henry L. Stimson, arrived in Manila to take office as governor-general of the Philippines.

In 1944, American troops invaded the Admiralty Islands in the Pacific war.

In 1964, it was announced that the United States had secretly developed a jet airplane that could fly 2,000 miles an hour at altitudes of more than 70,000 miles.

VIETNAM REST FLIGHTS TO HAWAII

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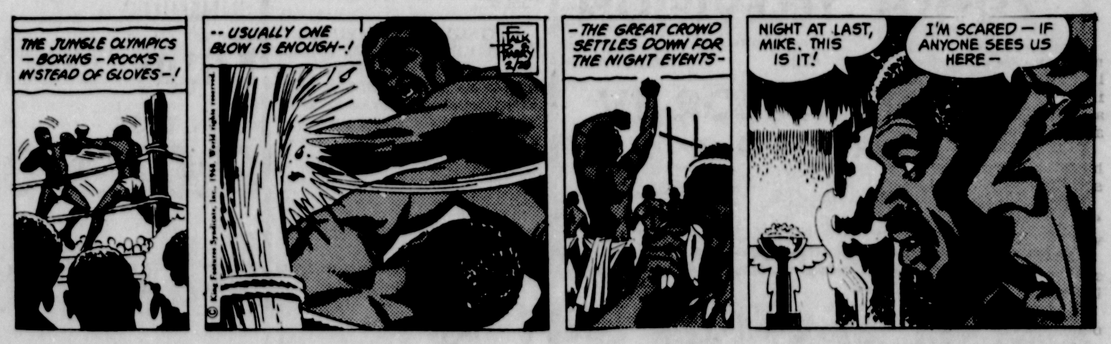
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Libby's BEST BUY DAYS

MARK'S & STEARNES M & H FOOD MART

PRICES GOOD THURSDAY FEBRUARY 29th thru WEDNESDAY MARCH 6th
SHOP MARK'S & STEARNES ON SATURDAY-GO TO CHURCH ON SUNDAY

COOPERATIVE M&H STORES

YOUR M & H FOOD STORE IN SIKESTON
WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO LIMIT QUANTITIES

FRESH Pork Shoulder Roast CALLIE STYLE 4# TO 7# AVG. LB. 29¢

Libby's FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 CANS 2/45¢

PURE Pork Sausage OUR OWN MAKE LB. 39¢

FRESH LEAN Pork Cutlets LB. 79¢

U.S.D.A. CHOICE Sirloin Steaks LB. 99¢



ARMOUR BOLOGNA ALL MEAT SLICED LB. 49¢

LARGE FAT HENS FRESH DRESSED 4 to 7# LB. 39¢

ARMOUR WIENERS ALL MEAT 12 OZ. PKG. 39¢

ARMOUR HAMS FULLY COOKED LB. 59¢

MATCHLESS SLICED BACON LB. 55¢

ARMOUR SUMMER Sausage FOR A DELICIOUS SNACK LB. 79¢

LIBBY'S CATSUP TWIN PACK 14 OZ. 2 BOTTLES 39¢

LIBBY'S MEAT BALL STEW 24 OZ. 49¢

LIBBY'S BEANS & VIENNA SAUSAGE 16 OZ. 3/$1

LIBBY'S CORN WHOLE KERNEL OR CREAM STYLE 303 CANS 5/$1.00

LIBBY'S CUT BEETS 303 CANS 2/25¢

LIBBY'S Vienna Sausage 1/2's 4/$1.

LIBBY'S Potted Meat 1/4's 2/25¢

LIBBY'S PEAS 303 CANS 5/$1.00

Libby's DEEP BROWN PORK & BEANS 14 OZ. 8/$1.00

LIBBY'S TOMATO JUICE 46 OZ. CANS 3 FOR $1.00

SUNSHINE Juvenile Assortment ANIMAL CRACKERS-CHEEZ-ITS TOY COOKIES-VANILLA WAFERS-GINGER SNAPS YOUR CHOICE 10¢

SUNSHINE Krispy Crackers 1 LB. 35¢

OLD JUDGE COFFEE 2# CAN $1.39

SEALTEST FROZEN DESSERT 1/2 GALLON 49¢

SOFT PARKAY MARGARINE 1 LB. 4¢ OFF LABEL 39¢

PAL PEANUT BUTTER 32 OZ. 79¢

HARVEST INN SWEET GERKIN PICKLES 12 OZ 39¢

BUSH KRAUT 2 303 CANS 29¢

HYDE PARK MUSTARD 9 OZ. 2 FOR 25¢

BREAKFAST DRINK START 4 3/4 OZ. 29¢

SHOP MARK'S & STEARNES EVERY DAY LOW LOW DISCOUNT PRICES ON HEALTH AND BEAUTY AIDS

HEAD LETTUCE LARGE SIZE 2/29¢

CRISP CELERY STALK 19¢

CARROTS 1 POUND CELLO BAG 15¢



GRAPEFRUIT & JUICE ORANGES 5 LB. BAG 59¢

GOLDEN RIPE BANANAS LB. 10¢

Libby's GREEN BEANS CUT OR FRENCH STYLE 303 CANS 2/39¢